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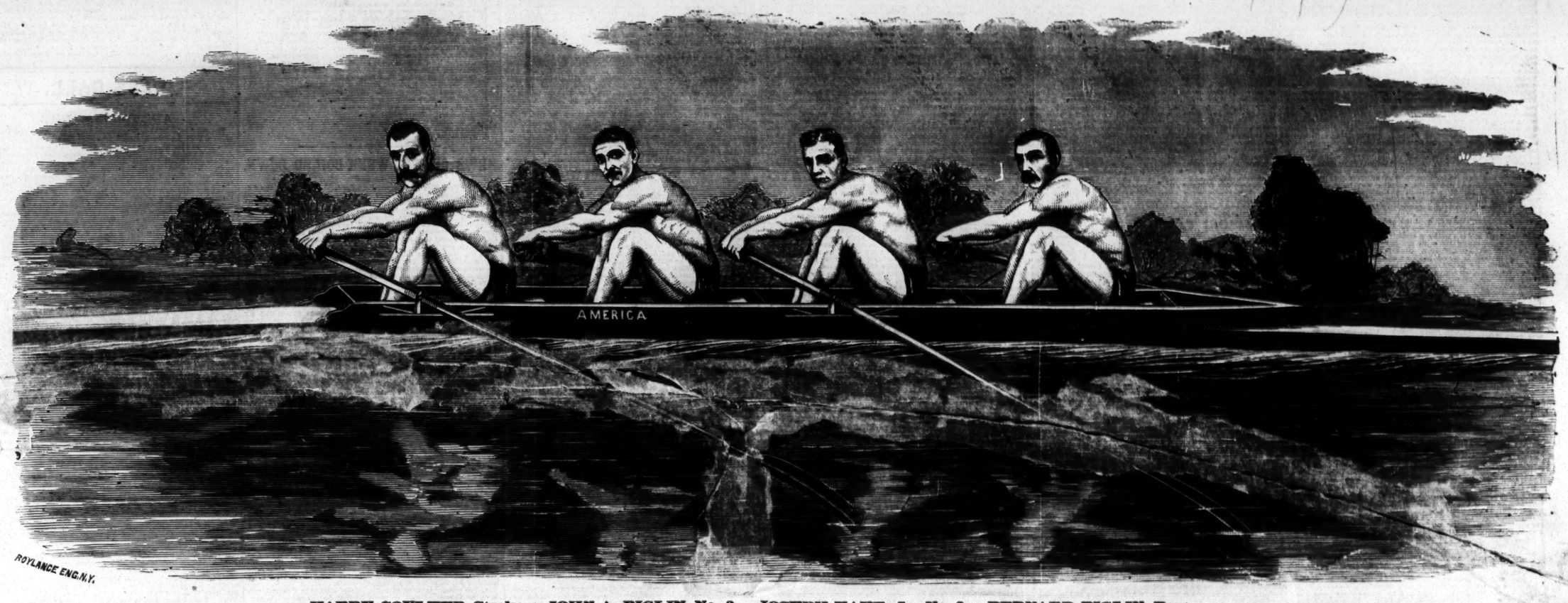

HARRY COULTER, Stroke. JOHN A. BIGLIN, No. 3. JOSEPH KAYE, Jr., No. 2. BERNARD BIGLIN, Bow.

THE UNITED STATES CREW AT THE LATE INTERNATIONAL REGATTA AT HALIFAX, N. S.

Waiting for the word "Go!" in their New Boat "America."

FIRST MATE OF THE "MARY WHITMORE."

WRITTEN FOR THE NEW YORK CLIPPER.

Hallo! young fellow! get out of my way;
Drunk!—Eh! The devil you say;
Who you looking at? Think I'm tight?
Make a judge. Want to fight?
Seen you before, old friend—good deal a—jaw
Aint had a glass. Hic! I'm all right;
Go out, now, young fellow, higher'n kite.
I don't go far—stay by the shore—
I'm First Mate of the "Mary Whitmore."
Stood by the boiler, nothing shorter;
Roller beat, and fell in—water;
Didn't care—hic! Got to shore.
I'm First Mate of the "Mary Whitmore."
Take a drink—have some pin—
I! pay for you—got lots of tin;
No, you don't pay, that's too thin;
Yes I like gin; good—stuff—eh!
Some said was drunk—the hell they say.
Ware's old friends—what's your name?
Here's to health—wish you the same.
Who said was drunk? Which one—which?
Hic! I'll maul him"—dirty old stitch.
Well, old fellow, now we'll moor some more—
Just ask for Jim! of the "Mary Whitmore!"
I ask two men any day;
I'll always treat you—you needn't pay;
Always find me near the shore.
My name's Jim, of the "Mary Whitmore."

A LILY AND A ROSE;

OR,

THE SCHEMER AND HIS VICTIMS.

CHAPTER X.

THE ROSE QUEEN.

Raymond Garton, ever resolute and firm of purpose, when he found that the strange and singular emotion the face of the *coryphee* had filled him with was really love, lost no time in securing the Rose Queen.

Night after night he visited the Royal York, and was to be found lounging behind the stage, chatting with the manager, drinking wine with the leader of the orchestra, or exchanging wit with the great Pratice, or scraps with other of the celebrated company, but always greeting the Rose Queen with his winning smile, and his gentle-toned words of praise, until at last the girl began to look for his handsome dark face, and learnt to regard the few soft-spoken words as no small portion of her nightly applause, and Raymond Garton's purpose was growing easier of attainment each night.

Of course, Wilkins was not blind to the state of things, and knew what the presence of the swells behind his scenes must of a necessity follow the success of his novelty, and, indeed, encouraged the group of exquisites who almost nightly filled his boxes and lounged at his drinking bars, as they gave a tone to the house, and testified to the general popularity the Rose Queen had attained.

He knew the dark gentleman's game, as he called it, but he was safe, for let happen what might, he held the Rose Queen's written engagement for three years, and could afford to look on and smile.

Every night the Royal York grew more crowded, the prices were raised, a handsome portion of the hall marked off for stalls, and the manager gathered in the coin in barnsfull, an d every night, while the house roared out its delighted approval, Raymond Garton stood close beside the curtain, always ready with a silk shawl to throw over the perfect, quivering limbs of the beautiful girl, and a few words of respectful praise.

And not one of the many who nightly saw the little by-play ever guessed, as they gazed with a smile upon the calm, smiling face of the attentive exquisite, the raging passion that thrilled through him as the Rose Queen leant against his arm, and panted out her "Thank you, you are very kind!"

One night the cries for her third re-appearance grew so clamorous that the manager, though she was thoroughly exhausted, begged of her to go on once more, if only to bow her acknowledgements.

"Only once more," he begged, wiping the perspiration from his fore head and clasping his hands excitedly. "Do you hear, how the eyre storming for you. Oh, sir, if she don't go on again, they'll go mad!" he said, turning to Raymond, who stood so close on at the pair, his dark eyes hidden beneath a frown.

Rose looked up—she had sank into a chair, and was holding the shawl round her panting bosom with a weary grasp.

"I am so tired," she said. "Pray let me off to-night."

"I don't want you to dance!" repeated the manager, eagerly. "Only just go on, hark!" he added, and another roar rang through the the house and cries for the Queen resounded on all sides.

"Well, I suppose I must," said the girl, with a sigh which turned to a smile, as Raymond stooped and picked up the shawl which she had flung off. "I am afraid I am giving you a great deal of trouble," she said, prettily, as he folded the shawl upon his arm.

"You give no one no trouble," he said, softly. "You could not. Will you not take this bouquet? It seems the best they have thrown," and he placed in her hand a magnificent bouquet of camellias.

"Thank you," she said, gently, "now I will go I think."

And she tripped on to the stage with a smile upon her face—a small one, though her lovely limbs were aching with the exertion she had made, and her head throbbed with the glare of the footlights and the heavy clouds of tobacco.

An appeal to cry welcomed her with a clapping of hands and stamping, and, treat able creed she yielded for her to dance. It was useless for bowing and curtsying to retire: they rose, half drunken and wholly unreasonable, and clamored for more.

A look of distress crossed Rose's face for a moment, then, as the band started, she sprang into the air and commenced the dance. A storm of applause greeted her acquiescence, and was kept up until positively unable to breathe, the exhausted queen staggered to the side, and, with a shriek, fell into Raymond Garton's arms. For the second time he held the woman he loved lifeless against his breast, and the hot blood rushed to his brow as he looked on her pale, but still lovely face and felt her breath fan his cheeks.

Lifting her in his arms he carried her to a little distance from the stage, at that moment they were alone; the manager had gone to receive the thanks of a crowded house, and Raymond could hear the chairman's hammer banging at the end of each sentence. Rose's dressing-room, where her maid awaited her, was at the other side of the stage. With a heavy sigh Raymond proceeded to carry the lifeless girl to her room.

As he did so he passed a number of gentlemen—some of them friends of his—who, lounging at the wings, were talking and drinking to some of the *ballet* girls; and with a frown he tried by missing a wing to pass at the back of them unobserved, but some of them caught sight of him and called out with a laugh:—

"Hallos Raymond! going to carry her off at last, eh?

Raymond Garton murmured something with his soft smile, though a curse hung upon his lips, then hurried on, but suddenly stopped.

"What had the fool said? Going to carry her off!" And what was to prevent him?

As the question flashed across his mind he gazed eagerly behind him, the manager was still haranguing at the front. A few carpenters were turning out the dy-lights, a portion of the vast wilderness behind the stage, that near the stage door was already in semi-darkness, his brougham was at the entrance, everything prepared, why should he not carry out his plan to-night, at once!

True, he had determined to gain the queen's consent, but she might have refused, whereas now she lay in his arms powerless, at his mercy.

A mad delight filled him at the thought, and gathering her still more closely to his breast, he turned back, hurried behind the dingy dusky scenes down the white-washed passage that led to the stage door and reached the open air unnoticed, save by a few unstopped.

He motioned to the coachman not to alight and in a hasty whisper gave him some instructions, then opening the door of the brougham, stepped in with the *coryphee*, still closely pressed to his heart.

The deed was done; there was no turning back, he held in his arms the being who had won his heart of stone, and held her not only in his arms but in his power.

What would the Rose Queen say when she recovered. He smiled. It would not be the first time he had appeased an angry woman.

Then he let his eyes rest upon her face until his own grew pale with emotion, and unconsciously he let his hand touch and hold the little white one hanging down so lifelessly. Then the Rose Queen awoke. Opening her eyes with a sigh, she looked up into the face smiling over her with a puzzled, half-frightened look that was irresistibly charming.

"Where am I?" she asked, "and—and——"

Raymond smiled as he answered gently—

"Do not be alarmed, Rose,"—how soft his voice grew as it uttered the name—"you are in safety with me."

Not half understanding him, and not at all satisfied, she raised herself on one elbow and gazed at her captor with an inquiring air.

"Where is Mr. Wilkins?" she asked.

"At the Music Hall, I hope," thought Raymond Garton; then aloud, "He is not here—do you wish for him?"

"No—no," hesitated the girl; then a sudden flood of light pouring in upon her, she started up and caught at his arm. "Ah, I remember, they would make me go on again, and I fainted in your arms, and now I wake and find myself in your brougham; it is yours, is it not? Where are you taking me?"

"Where you will be happy," he replied, quietly putting her back on to her seat with a gentle pressure of his hand on her arm.

"You are tired, Rose, are you not? and friendless, come and rest with me, your friend. You are not frightened?"

"Come with you?" repeated the bewildered girl.

"Where?"

"Where you will be happy!" he answered her eagerly. "Where you will be at rest and peace, where you will find every comfort, every luxury: Rose! I love you—oh! do not look so angry. I love you—passionately." he continued, seizing her hand, and almost crushing it in his grasp, his eyes flashing into her shrinking ones. "Girl! do not say me nay. You must be mine. Rose, think of the life you are now leading, you cannot go on long, dancing your life away in that hell we have left behind. Child! you are young and strong yet, your limbs will give way beneath the fearful nightly ordeal, and your story will soon be ended. See, you are tired already; they have commenced calling you even now. Come! I offer you a home, ah, Rose, and more—my heart. Will you come?"

The Rose Queen answered by an impassionate deer, vain by trying to release cut the meaning of the rapid words.

Her breath came fast and thick, her bosom—in all its naked loveliness—rose and fell with emotion.

The fruit which the tempter held out before her dazzled eyes, seemed too fair to turn from.

His eyes glittered as he watched her face, and accustomed to read the human countenance as one does a book, he knew that the battle was half won.

With exceeding gentleness he drew the coat he had thrown over her, closer around her bosom.

"It is cold, he murmured. "You would like to be a lady, would you not?" he continued, crossing over to her side, and putting his arm round her waist, "you shall be more than a lady, Rose, you shall be a queen, a real queen, a queen of hearts, and have your crowd of courtiers kneeling at your feet, as the Queen of England has at hers. Do you know, Rose, I have bought you a home, you will say it is charming, and furnished it with crimson velvet and satin—you and you liked crimson one night, and I did not forget it, you see—and you shall be its mistress and mine. This brougham is for you—your own! You shall have horses to ride and horses to drive. Rose, if you will but promise to try and love me, and be mine, you shall have everything you can desire, and your life shall be one long delight!"

The words poured forth in his soft, seductive manner, unfolded a picture of supreme delight. Indeed, before the mind's eye of the weary girl, it was dazzling! She would be a lady—a lady at last! and as the thought crossed her mind her eyes filled with tears. Ah, one other had promised her that she should be a lady, and where was he?

And while she hesitated, half longing, half dreading to pluck the offered fruit, the tempter waited. His handsome face, white with emotion, his lips quivering with excitement. At that moment the carriage stopped and the coachman jumped down.

Raymond Garton drew the girl closer to him, as he whispered:—

"Come, Rose, say 'yes,' quickly."

And she, true daughter of Eve, stretched forth her hand and plucked the fruit. A cry of delight escaped from the schemer's lips, and he caught her in his arms and kissed her passionately.

"Say 'Yes'?" he cried, as the door of the Brougham was thrown open and the steps rattled down. "See your home!"

The brougham had stopped opposite a small but handsome villa. The hall door was open, and a footman stood upon the steps, and, as though obeying some signal, lights blazed in the windows and a couple of maid servants came forward to welcome their mistress—the Rose Queen, whom the proprietor of a music hall had picked up in the street only a few months past.

CHAPTER XI.

THE VILLA AT SYDENHAM.

Mr. Wilkins' astonishment and anger when he missed the Rose Queen may be better imagined than described. He tore up and down the stage, ransacked the dressing-rooms, even searched the nooks in the vain hope that the *danseuse* was playing a joke and hiding away for fun, and at last began to credit the assertions of the gentlemen loungers, who calmly assured him that they saw Rose in Raymond Garton's arms and that Mr. Garton had carried her off.

With many an oath the manager swore he would "have the law" on the abductor, but wondrously changed his tone when Raymond Garton walked into his house the next day and with his diabolical pleasant smile assured him that the Rose Queen had gone with him of her own free will and intended staying under his protection.

"But d—— me, sir," roared the irate Wilkins, banging the table, "do you mean to tell me that the hussy won't keep her engagement."

"I didn't mean to tell you anything of the sort, my dear sir," replied the unruffled lover, "but I will if you don't moderate your tones. Miss Rose I think is under the legal age, therefore your engagement, correctly drawn up as it may be, is legally worthless, but—pray hear me out—it seems to be her wish that she should keep faith with you, and I have consented that she shall dance at your before—" beg your pardon—your excellent establishment for three months longer; but I stipulate that she dances once only each night. I will have no repetition of last night's scene."

What could the nonplussed manager do? Evidently he was no match, sharp as he was, for this cold blooded insolent exquisite; so Mr. Wilkins with many an oath and much declamation at length agreed to release the Rose Queen from her sovereignty after the expiration of three months, and was much helped to that decision by a crisp and beautifully engraved cheque which Mr. Raymond Garton pleasantly handed him.

Raymond Garton was not at all the man to do things by halves, for, as he had told Rose, the nest he had prepared for her at Sydenham was a fitting casket for so beautiful a jewel.

Not over large, but affording plenty of space for the performance of the seemingly much desired swinging of a cat, the villa was conveniently built and arranged and most superbly furnished. Indeed, its magnificence made the girl, as yet unused to the gilding with which vice covers herself, rather uncomfortable, and leaning on Raymond Garton's arm, she said as he introduced her to the dainty drawing-room, "this is too good for me, I shall be afraid to walk on the carpet, or sit in the chairs."

"Nothing can be too good for you, Rose, darling," he murmured with the gentleness of a good man, "nor good enough, and as to fearing for the carpet or the chairs, you will soon think them rather mean than otherwise. Look, you said you liked birds the other evening, there is a canary in that little Chinese Temple, make friends with him."

"Oh how kind of you," exclaimed the girl, forgetting her awe of the carpet, and rushing with clasped hands and sparkling eyes to a little Pagoda canary cage hanging amidst the curtains.

The maid's eyes glistened and something of a dark rose to his lips. Ah! if he were but a better man, if his life were but as strong in nobleness as this strange love of his was in essence! And see," he continued, going up to the caged sinciput his head fell on her shoulder, "you like pictures. Here are some," and he pointed out a few new masters which hung about the room.

"Ah, how beautiful!" exclaimed the queen, gazing with clasped hands and extended eyes.

Like Aladdin in the Arabian Nights, Rose gazed about the drawing-room of her new palace with all a woman's delight at the possession of pretty and luxury.

"Well, are you satisfied?" said Raymond Garton from the depth of a lounge into which he had thrown himself to watch at his ease the glowing face of Queen Rose as she walked admiringly to and fro.

It was a wondrous novelty to the keen man of the world, this girlish delight and admiring awe, and he felt fully recompensed for the not inconsiderable sum the villa had cost him.

"Satisfied!" exclaimed the Rose Queen. "Why, my dear Mr. Garton, I am delighted above expression. It is fairy land; and you say I am to be the mistress of all this."

"Aye, of all of it, and of me," said he. But, Rose, don't you remember that you promised to call me Raymond?"

"Did I?" said Rose archly, already a coquette. "I will if you wish me to, Raymond," she said prettily, and there certainly was some little excuse for his jumping up and catching her in his arms. "And did you intend this pretty place for me long ago," said Rose, looking up at him inquiringly, and this time as she did so, that they were handsome eyes looking into hers that made her feel—what? That the mouth was a perfectly cut one, and that the moustache curved into a soft, tender smile was very handsome but—there was something in the dark face which almost made her shudder.

Perhaps the man with a lover's instinct knew or was conscious of the antagonistic feeling that thrilled through the beautiful girl in his arms, for he said:—

"Yes, Rose, my darling, the nest was lined for you little bird, do you think you will be happy here?"

"Yes," she said, but her eyes dropped beneath his, as she answered.

"Will you try Rose?" he said eagerly. "Oh, my girl, my girl! If you knew!"

"Knew what?" she said.

"Nothing!" he answered, the cloud gone from his face, and his lips wearing the old smile. "Nothing, mine angel, nothing, except that I would have you know how much I love you—But, come," he continued, linking her arm in his, and walking up to a small door that was concealed by a blue curtain, "you have not seen all parts of the nest yet, pretty one. See!" and he threw open the door and pointed to a saloon beyond. It was very elegantly furnished, of large dimensions, and rather dark, Rose thought, hung round with dark crimson velvet, the sombre magnificence relieved here and there by a choice picture glistening against the rich color.

Somehow the girl did not like the room, and she did not cross the threshold. Was it a species of foreknowledge that caused her to hesitate?

"Come," said Raymond Garton, stepping on to the carpet of velvet pile. "Is not this a handsome room?"

"Yes," said Rose, "but I do not like it so well as this," and she looked round at the drawing-room as she supposed, but the door had closed, not only closed but entirely disappeared. At her back were folds of claret colored velvet like those surrounding the rest of the room.

With a cry of astonishment, not utterly devoid of alarm, she cried—

"Why, where's the door?"

Raymond Garton laughed his low, silky laugh.

"Gone," he replied, amused at her astonishment.

"Gone!" she repeated. "What is this place and what are those green tables for?" pointing to a number of card tables ranged about the saloon.

Raymond laughed again.

"Those are card tables, have you never seen one before. Come and look!" and he took her arm again and led her to the middle of the room.

"And is this room a card place, then?" she asked, looking up at him with a puzzled face.

"Yes, Rose; I do not mean you to be dull," he said. "So I have built this snug little room and we will ask a lot of friends, and they shall come and sing to you, talk to you, amuse you, and in return you shall give them dinner and wine, and a game at cards."

There was a sinister meaning in his words the girl did not understand, yet shrank from; he did not notice her gesture, but went on:—

"Yes, Rose, your gentleman makes a good deal of his honor, "*Honneur avant paiz*" is always in his mouth, he is never tired of informing you that he is a gentleman and not to be bought like a plebian. Yet—is there one who cannot be purchased with a good dinner, a fair mistress, the empty ring of Fame, or that house upon the sands—Place, Bah! Rose, mine, they are all to be bought, all to be bought and—sold." And he smiled softly and pleasantly as he wound off his bitter reflections with the benevolent aspect of a Hervey.

"—I don't know what you mean; I don't understand you!" said the Rose Queen, looking up at him half fearfully.

"No!" he said, playfully. "Better not, Rose, my darling, understand nothing except that I love you," and as he spoke he drew her to him with one hand while the other caught at something she could not see as he had purposely turned her face away; there was the rustle of velvet and looking hastily round, Rose saw the small door revealed.

With almost a frightened speed she rushed through the opening into the drawing-room beyond, the silvery laugh of Raymond Garton following her like the chant of some evil spirit in pleasing form.

TO BE CONTINUED.

THE REVOLUTIONARY CALENDAR.—The French revolutionary party attempted the re-arrangement of the calendar. Instead of dividing by weeks, they decreed that time should be divided into decades—thus abolishing the Christian Sabbath and making every tenth day a holiday and day of rest. The revolutionary year was to commence on the 22d of September, 1792, the epoch of the foundation of the Republic. The months were to be of 30 days each, thus:—Vendemaire (vintage month), Brumaire (hazy fogey), Frimaire (frosty), for the autumn; Nivose (snowy), Pluviose (rainy), Ventose (windy), for the winter; Germinal (germinating), Floreal (flowering), Prairial (meadowy), for the spring, Messidor (vineyards and crops), Thermidor (heat), Fructidor (fruit bearing), for the summer. The five odd days were tagged on to the end and called Sans-Culottides, but, although in 1799 was a leap year, no arrangement was made for the odd day. This arrangement was in force for fourteen years, when the Christian calendar was re-established by Napoleon, Jan. 1st, 1806.

HOW TO FORM A LINE.—Captain Weaver was in command of a company of infantry in the Black Hawk war, and it is related of him that at one time, while getting his company in line for parade, he got vexed at the arrangement, which resembled a worm fence more than it did a straight line, threw down his sword, and putting off his hunting shirt, told the men that if they did not put into a straight line, he would thrash the whole company. The line was promptly formed and the captain put on his hunting shirt and buckled on his sword again.

THE INTERNATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP.

English, American and Canadian Oarsmen Compete at Halifax, N. S.

SPLENDID CONTEST FOR THE PRIZE OF $3,000.

THE TAYLOR CREW WIN.

NEARLY SEVEN MILES ROWED IN 44:28.

Sadler Victorious in the Sculler's Race, Brown Second, and Kelley Third.

The excitement occasioned in boating circles throughout England, Canada and the United States by the grand regatta gotten up by the members of the Royal Halifax Yacht Club, and which included races between four-oared and single scull boats for the championship of the world and prizes of three thousand and five hundred dollars respectively, open to oarsmen of all nations, culminated last week, when the regatta was brought to a successful issue in the harbor of Halifax. Besides the two races above mentioned, in which alone was centred the interest of the public at large, a sculler's race for the championship of the harbor, and a regatta of the R. H. Y. C., were among the attractions, while a number of other competitions took place between crafts of different descriptions, the whole combining to make the occasion one of a most enjoyable character to residents and visitors. The fact that the two crack English fours, composed of the best Tyne and Thames oarsmen, the Paris crewof St. John, the Coulter-Biglin crew of the United States, and several crews from Nova Scotia were to take part in the four-oared race, and the leading scullers from each section to struggle for the mastery in the second great event of the regatta, caused the interest felt in the result of those contests to be very widespread and calculated to attract to the scene hundreds of strangers, a few coming all the way from England to be present at the anticipated victory of their favorite crew, as well as enrich themselves to the extent of a few dollars by investing upon them. The unlooked-for death of the English champion, James Renforth, especially under circumstances of so sad a nature, shocked the public mind, however, and considerably lessened the interest felt in the race on the principal feature of the programme, as it had been expected that the meeting between the four captained by himself and their great rivals, headed by James Taylor, would be productive of one of the most desperately contested races in aquatic annals. It, however, served to heighten the interest manifested in the single scull event, which had previously been regarded as a gift to the lamented and mighty English champion. The withdrawal of the Paris crew, at the last possible moment, upon the flimsy pretext that the water was too rough there to suit them, also conduced to make the great championship race less interesting. The people looked to the meeting between them and the Taylor-Winship crew, as now that with the Renforth crew as re-organized, to settle the dispute relative to what would really have been the result of the unfortunate race on the Kennebeccasis had no accident occurred, but the withdrawal of the crew which won the money dependent upon that affair in so unsatisfactory a manner threatened to leave it remain a mooted question for all time. The reason assigned by them for such a rep ehensible course—disregarding the wishes of the public and refusing to allow their former opponents a chance to give them a fair trial—is not worthy of entertainment for a moment. They had the same facilities as had their opponents to prepare for all emergencies, and there is no reason why they should have labored under greater disadvantages than were experienced by any of the other crews in the race. The course pursued by them was denounced in unmeasured terms by the people of Halifax, and doubtless by their fellow townsmen, too, for it not only brought disgrace upon the members of the crew themselves, but compromised the city from whence they hail, also. The idea of men who claim to be thorough masters of the science of rowing, refusing to engage in a race unless the water is perfectly smooth, when half a dozen other crews, no more pretentious (nor accomplished, in the first estimation than themselves) either no objection, in simply ridiculous; and it is not to be wondered at that the public should attribute their refusal to row to other and less creditable motives than that assigned by them. Their only chance to redeem their reputation, which has unquestionably greatly suffered by this "back down," as it is generally considered, is to make a match with the winners of that race, who have stated their willingness to enter into such an engagement upon certain conditions. If such a match be arranged, and the St. John men prove themselves the best four of the two, then the public will cheerfully accord them all the credit and praise which will be their due for achieving so brilliant a victory. Below will be found a complete and accurate report of the regatta, commencing with the

THE INTERNATIONAL FOUR-OARED RACE.

This was for a purse of three thousand dollars to the winning crew, over a course measuring about six miles and four-fifths, with a special prize of $200 to the crew first rounding the flag boat, to be rowed to the second. There were six starters, viz: Taylor and Winship crew, England; Renforth crew, England; Coulter-Biglin crew, New York; Pryor, Barton and Roche crews, of Halifax. Underneath are given the names of the men composing the different crews, with such particulars concerning their career as we are able to give:—

THE TAYLOR-WINSHIP CREW.

JAMES TAYLOR is the bow man in this four, and represents the skill, generalship and experience of the crew. The name of the Taylors has for years been celebrated in the rowing annals of England, the competitions between them and the famous Clasper, in days long gone by, having been among the most interesting upon record. For a long time the latter maintained their supremacy upon the Tyne, but ultimately the Taylor crew turned the tables upon them. James is the youngest member of this renowned family, and he was born at Newcastle, in April, 1837, and is therefore in his thirty-fifth year at the present time. He learned the trade of a ship carpenter, and during his boyhood did not exhibit any liking or aptitude for rowing, although he acted as coxswain in several matches to which his brothers engaged. Just before emerging from his teens he, however, appeared as a candidate for aquatic honors in a race for a "liver" a side with Thomas Scott, of the Northern Rowing Club, over whom he gained an easy conquest. He shortly after this met Thos Candlish, a fine sculler, for £20 a side, but the occurrence of an accident caused his defeat, and for several years thereafter he took no part in boating contests. In 1864 he reappeared in public, the occasion being the Durham regatta, where he was one of the successful four in the Patron's Plate, and (with Wm. Maiden) was defeated by Newby and Marshall in the race for the Mowbray Plate pairs. Since that time he has been in almost incessant training for regattas or matches, and, with combined ability and good fortune, has had a most successful career. We haven't space to enumerate all the matches in which he has taken part, but the principal ones have been as follows:—Beat Thos. Maiden, for stake of £50, Oct. 16th, 1863; beat Geo. Wakefield, £20, Nov. 27th, 1865; beat Thos. Winship, £100, April 6d, 1866; beat James Percy, £100, Sept. 10th, 1866; beat J. H. Clasper, £100, Oct. 30th, 1866; beat, J. H. Clasper, £30, Oct. 31st, 1866; John Bright, £100, Dec. 18th, 1866; beaten by James Percy, £100, May 4th, 1867; beat Edward Heath, on the Thames, on a foul, £100, June 8th, 1867; beat Mark Addy, of Manchester, on a foul, £100, Oct. 19th, 1868; beat James Percy, £50, April, 1871; beat Mark Addy, May, 1870, on a foul, £100. In 1867, when for some time four-oared rowing had fallen into disrepute on the Tyne, the late Robert Chambers formed a crew, of which he himself was stroke, Taylor bow oar and Matt. Scott and Andy Thompson occupied the midship seats. 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Saunders and Maple for the Pairs, beating three other crews. With G. Wenman, Hosea and Hammerton, he also won the Fours, beating the Thetis and the Ariel crews of Southampton, Lord Iron Trot, Sam and Jack Trigg, and Sam Maple, and Happy Return. He also won the Sculls, beating Jack Trigg, Griggs and Hoare. He was next matched against Chambers for the championship and £200 a side. The race came off on Nov. 22, 1869, and will long be remembered as a very eventful one. Sadler leading nearly all the way, and Bob pressing him till they twice fouled at Hammersmith, and the dastardly conduct of two tug masters prevented Chambers rowing on with any chance. The decision of the referee, however, was against Sadler on the two counts. He next rowed James Percy, of Newcastle, on June 3, 1867, from Putney to Moriake, for £100 a side, and beat him after a foul had fouled him several times. On the 23d of the same month he rowed Matthew Cooper, Putney to Mortlake, £200 a side, after two fouls; best Kelley at the Paris Regatta, but was disqualified for being shown over the course by a four during the race; with Hammerton he was beaten by Kelley and Cook in the Paris, and with Hammerton was beaten in the Fours by Taylor, A. Thompson, M. Scott, and Bob Chambers. At Shoreby Regatta, he, in company with his brother, Pedgrift, and Dell, of Brighton, was beaten by the celebrated Southampton crew, the crew of Wiser, and on the 25th of September, 1867, beat Percy two miles, on the Ouse, at Lynn, for £100 a side, after a splendid race. He was next matched against Harry Kelley, the Paris champion, and they sat to contend for £300 a side and the championship, but, after being stripped and in the boat ready to start on the 27th, 1867, for a foul occurring, the referee ordered them to row again next day. They endeavored to get away several times without avail, when a dispute took place between the referee and Sadler's party about the position of the steamers. Some pulling and sculling on his guernsey. The referee calls upon him to come back to the starting point, but whether he didn't hear or wilfully disregarded the call we cannot say, but Sadler did not obey, and, in accordance with the order of the referee, Kelley rowed over the course alone, and was awarded the money. Suit was instituted by the principal backers of Sadler to recover the stakes, judgment being rendered against the referee. Joe was third in the race for the world's prize at the Thames National Regatta, 1868, Benfforth winning and Percy being second. While the suit for the stakes in their previous match was still pending, another match, for £200 a side, was made between him and Kelley, which was decided on the annual Thames course, Dec. 1st, 1868, Kelley winning in 23:28.

He took part in the contest for the champion sculls at the Thames National in 1868, which was won by Renforth, Kelley being second man. He, however, pulled in the successful four-oared crew. He next matched with the late Walter Brown, champion of America, for £300 a side, but the latter being sorely afflicted with boils for several days before the date fixed upon for rowing, compelling him to stop training, a forfeiture was accepted. £25 for a few days' postponement, the American was obliged to pay forfeit of the stake. He rowed with Kelley, Hammerton and Messenger in the great four-oared races between the Thames and Tyne, in November, 1869, above alluded to, being beaten in both. With Kelley, however, he defeated Renforth and Taylor for £200, November 20, same year. In 1870 he and Kelley were matched for the third time for £200 a side, the race being rowed over the metropolitan course, July 14th, and Sadler winning with much ease, his time being 24:07½. To this he added a victory in the race for the Sculls at the Thames National last year, Renforth being in this country. Joining the present crew shortly afterwards, he was in the winning four in the North of England Regatta, July 31st, this year, and next day captured the single scull prize. His height is 5 feet 8¾ inches, and he rows at 154 lbs.

ROBERT BIGELOW, the occupant of No. 3 seat, is the youngest man in the boat by some years, his present age being but twenty-two. He was born at or near Newcastle, and is a strapping young athlete, upon whom not a few look favorably as a candidate, at no distant day, for the honors in the rowing world, and the laurel wreath which now decks the brow of Sadler. Up to this time he has not participated in very many races, still, the manner in which he has performed in these few, stamps him as an exceedingly fine oarsman, possessed of great muscular force, gameness and the requisite stamina to carry him through a long race at a clinking gait. Principal in his brief career are the races in which he has taken part during this season, commencing with the 1st of May, when he contended with Ralph Hepplewhite, for £25 a side, in best and best boats, on the Tyne, the course pulled over being from Scotswood Suspension Bridge to Redheugh Bridge. The result of this contest was a most decisive victory for the latter, the three lengths score yards in advance, the time made being first rate, notwithstanding that he had such an easy thine of it. In that contest James Taylor accompanied him over the course in his "skiff," while his assistance was also in readiness in case of a chance, but, when he contended with Taylor, Winship and Martin, he rowed second to Renforth's crew in the final heat for the Northumberland Stakes, at the Tyne regatta, June 17th, and was in the winning four in the North of England Regatta, July 31st, while in the subsequent heat he was beaten by Sadler and Taylor, though he held the lead for a long distance. His height is 5 feet 8 inches, and he lowers the beam at 149 lbs., in fig.

THOMAS WINSHIP, the stroke of the quartet, was introduced to the world at Derwenthaugh, on the Tyne, near Newcastle, twenty-eight years ago, and is a younger brother of the once noted Edwin Winship, second man in the Paris crew, the four-oared crews of which gained him much renown. His avocation is that of a waterman, and his boating career has been chiefly made up of regatta performances. He pulled his first race against a young fellow named Hogarth, a townsman of his, on the Tyne, for £5 a side, the stakes amounting to but a "tenner," and Young Tom polishing off his opponent in the easiest imaginable way. Not long afterward he was matched against Gilderdale, for a purse of £40, and, neglecting to win in paper trim, he met with defeat. This reverse he quickly chagrined him, and finding friends who were willing to give him another chance, a second match was made with his conqueror, in which he eventually secured the lion's share of the honors, and, we hadn't a show to win any time. The third customer for Winship was John Simm, a clever sculler, but the task was a very easy one for him, and he beat John without the semblance of a struggle. Derwenthaugh was now the scene of action, Winship on as one of the most promising aspirants of the Tyne, and James Taylor was selected for an antagonist in his next public essay. This time Thomas caught a Tartar, for Taylor, with his fine form of speed, quickly sent him from Scotswood Bridge to Dunston beaten. From the period of this match until after he had joined the champion crew in 1869, Winship did not row any more matches, but in May, 1870, he met Ralph Hepplewhite in a match from Elswick to Scotswood Suspension Bridge and return, for £100, and beat him almost out of sight. His career as a member of the Tyne champion crew is given in connection with the notice of James Taylor, with whom he was a champion pair at Shoreby, and at the final Regatta he and Taylor were defeated by Renforth and Kelley in January last, and in June they were victorious over the pair mentioned, thus squaring accounts. His subsequent races previous to the present season of the Tyne are given in the notices of the gallant crew, winning in one and losing in the other. His height is 5 feet 7½ inches, and in proper fix he will weigh 155 lbs.

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BERNARD BIGLIN, who pulls bow oar and directs the course of the boat, is a native of the state of Pennsylvania, having been born in Cambria county, among the mountains, on the 4th of September, 1841, so that he is now thirty years of age and the oldest man in the crew. In addition to being the tallest, he is also one of the heaviest, and he lowers the beam at 170 pounds in his boots. Although born in the Keystone State, Barney may lay claim to the Empire City as the home of his childhood, for here he has resided since he was 7 years of age. He always had a keen relish for rowing, and being circumstanced as he was, he was enabled to indulge in it to his heart's content. He has been a member of the celebrated four-oared crew of the Atlantic, on the 10th of September, 1860, accomplished five miles, with a turn, in the remarkably fast time of *thirty minutes forty-four and five-tenths seconds*, on the Empire City Regatta course, against Gotham crew. Barney pulled bow oar, and his companions were his brothers John and James, and Dennis Leary. They rowed the "George C. Brown" boat, built by Wm. H. Brown. The Atlantic's George C. Brown, W. H. Brown, W. Fay Shaw and Pough-keepsie (rowed by Stevens, Wooden, Le Roy and Beneway), and the "Hop Up," of Greenpoint, L. I. (rowed by Oscar Tweed, Boggs, Osburn and Hayes.) The betting was two to one against the Brown crew, and the odds of last, but not least, guided the judgment of the Shaw, the struggle bet ween these two being desperate and without advantage to either for the space of a mile and a quarter, when the Brown commenced to gradually forge ahead, and, pulling all they knew, finally won the race handily, the Atlantic coming in third seconds, the Hop Up being distanced. It was the second appearance of the crew in public, and was probably the hardest race they ever had. They had previously rowed against the Poughkeepsie crew and three from Brooklyn—Charles Wetherell, Wm. Tyng and James Sellar—September 6, 1869, and were beaten by five seconds only. They met the Poughkeepsie crew again at Boston, July 4, 1861, six other boats being entered. It was an even thing to win the race, and would long be remembered as a very eventful one. The Brown four fouled the stake, and when they got clear the Poughkeepsie men were too far ahead to overhaul, although they lost by but nine seconds. On September 16th, same year, the crew met in the race for the Championship of the Club, John J. Rekerson taking the place of Denny Leary, as stroke, the latter pulling in the other boat, with the Sullivan brothers. The Biglins won by four lengths, holding the lead all the way. At the Boston regatta, July 4, 1862, they contended for the championship of the U. S. They also went to Boston on June 20, 1863, the day of the Beacon Cup regatta, and defeated a Boston four-oared crew and a crew from Harvard College, the latter being six-oared. The time for the three miles was 19:40, which is the best on that course on record, and still remains so, the course rowed over by the Stephen Salisbury, on Lake Quinsigamond, being considerably less than three miles in length. On July 4th of that year they again competed at the Hub, with the four-oared race, but, with Barney absent in person, capturing the six-oared prize, beating their old Poughkeepsie rivals and a Harvard crew easily. The crew proceeded to Troy, September 15th, same year, and were unsuccessful in the race of Poughkeepsie, who were fresh, while the Biglins had taken part in three races previously during the day—single and double sculls, and six-oared—so that they were pretty well fagged out. On July 4th, 1864, they secured the Boston championship flag, and on the 15th, another from Harvard College (in which were Blaikie and McBurney) without trouble, leading the way from the start. The Boston crew, consisting of J. Hatton, Michael Fox, George Faulkner, Jr., and Thomas Scallen, the latter acting as coxswain, were distanced. On the 30th of that month they pulled in the Citizens' Regatta, Lake Quinsigamond, Worcester, Mass., winning both the four and six-oared races. There were four crews entered for the latter, the crews of the Biglins being Geo. Faulkner, John Evans, James Hatton and M. Fox, in the Geo. B. McClellan. The New Yorkers led throughout. On this occasion the Harvard Crew which pulled for Boston on the 4th of July, rowed in the Biglin boat, and beat him almost out of sight. His career as a member of the Tyne champion crew is given with the notice of James Taylor, with whom he was champion pair at Shoreby, and at the final Regatta he and Taylor were defeated by Renforth and Kelley in January last, and in June they were victorious over the pair mentioned, thus squaring accounts. His subsequent races previous to the present season of the Tyne are given in the notices of the crew, winning in one and losing in the other. His height is 5 feet 7½ inches, and in proper fix he will weigh 155 lbs.

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In the sixth innings, the Athletics went into the whitewash part with Start, Patterson again making a pretty catch at left field. On the other side the Mutuals scored no less than four runs on as many hits, wild pitching and a bad muff by Radcliff (falling Lucky enough the Athletic score. The totals now stood at 11 to 7 in favor of New York, and once again Mutual stock was in demand.

The seventh innings opened with a hit by Radcliff on which he run to second, but the umpire had called foul, and as Pearce struck and struck over again. Malone then made his base on his hit. But on Fisler's hit he was run out by Hatfield, and Fisler was presently disposed of at second by Pearce on a throw by Mills, the Athletic fielding beautifully. On the other side one run was scored before being whitewashed by the retirement of Start, Senay and Ferguson, the base hits Hatfield, Patterson and Start, Senay making a pretty catch. This left the totals at 12 to 7.

In the eighth innings the first base strikers of the Athletics came up with balls and retired. Meyerle then opened play with a base hit, and by low throws by Mills, and a failure to stop the ball by Start, Meyerle reached third, but Mills caught the next striker out on a sharp fly up, and for the third time in succession the Athletics drew a blank. On the other side the Mutuals again began to punish the pitching, the four first strikers earning their bases. Before the innings closed the Mutes had added five runs to their score, which left the Athletics ten to get to the end defeat almost certain.

But in the ninth innings the Athletics were again whitewashed and this left the Mutuals the victors. On the other side the New York nine raised one run to their score, thereby closing the contest with the totals of 18 to 7. The game was well umpired by Treacy. The following is the score:—

ATHLETIC.	R.	1B.	P.O.	A.	MUTUAL.	R.	1B.	P.O.	A.
Cuthbert, l f	0	1	3	1	Hatfield, 2d b	3	1	3	2
Reckel, p	0	1	1	3	Patterson, l f	1	2	2	0
Radcliff, 2d b	0	0	0	4	Start, 1st b	3	4	5	0
Malone, c	2	3	0	1	Wolters, p	3	2	0	0
Fisler, 1st b	1	1	13	0	Eggler c f	2	3	3	0
Reach, 3d b	1	2	1	2	Senay, c f	1	0	3	0
Senay, s f	1	0	3	0	Ferguson, 3d b	1	3	0	1
Meyerle, 3d b	1	2	2	1	Pearce, s s	1	1	2	1
Goubel, r f	0	1	2	1	Higham, r f	0	1	1	0
Totals	7	10	27	13	Totals	18	19	27	5

INNINGS.	1st	2d	3d	4th	5th	6th	7th	8th	9th
Athletic	0	0	0	5	2	0	0	0	0—7
Mutual	4	2	1	0	0	4	1	5	1—18

Runs earned—Athletic, 1; Mutual, 4. First base by errors—Athletic, 2; Mutual, 6. Fielding errors—Athletic, 20; Mutual, 7. Umpire—Mr. Treacy, of the Chicago Club. Time of game—2 hours and 15 minutes.

WHITE STOCKINGS vs. OLYMPICS.

A very exciting game was the fourth of the exhibition games between these two clubs, played in Washington on the 2d inst., before about 2,000 people. Although exciting, the game was not satisfactory to either the players or spectators. The game opened with the Olympics at the bat, who were put out for a single. The Whites scored five, but one earned, bad plays by Waterman and Leonard giving the rest. After this they were kept down, making but seven in the next eight innings, their batting falling off. In fact they were completely out-batted and, in a measure, out-fielded—as the errors made by the Olympic were not so costly as those made by the Whites. The Olympic improved in batting up to the ninth innings, hitting Pinkham as freely as they did Zettlein. In the fifth innings, one hand out, the Olympics being at the bat and a man on the first and one on the second, a short fly was hit high for Duffy, who caught the ball breast high, turned his hands downward below his waist and dropped the ball, then passed it to third, and from there to second. The umpire hesitated about his decision. Force claimed that Duffy held the ball long enough for a catch; after a long interval, during which Wood and others "chinned" lively, he allowed Chicago to beat him down, and gave two men out, when, in the judgment of nearly every one, the striker only was out. Had he made his decision promptly, it might have passed, but as it was he incurred the censure of those who have heretofore considered him a competent man. The same thing occurred in the eighth innings, Wood dropping the ball. This was not so palpable as the first one, Wood doing the trick neatly, but again the umpire hesitated long, seemingly yielding to the demands of Chicago. The game was a tie on the seventh and eighth innings, and at the end of the first half of the ninth, and the excitement ran high; by good batting and some wild play by the Olympic, the Whites scored two in the ninth, and winning. Sweasy played second well. Allison's throwing to base was "old time," and his batting ditto, but he seemed to have sore hands. Hall and Thomas fielded finely, the latter making one brilliant running catch. Wood played well at second. Duffy at short and Pinkham at third. Treacy and Foley did some fine fielding, a catch by Foley being a fine feature of the game, and a throw by Treacy, home, cutting off Leonard, being another. Hodes caught well and batted finely. No game played here, says our correspondent, has been so full of hard points to decide as this, and none more unsatisfactory, not excepting the first Boston-Olympic game. The Whites have a lucky star, two games won by them here, in both of which they were out-played. The score:—

Olympic.	R.	1B.	P.O.	A.	W. STKS.	A.B.	R.	1B.	P.O.	A.	E.
Force, s s	6	2	1	0	4	1	McAtee, l f	6	1	1	2	0	0
Leonard, l f	6	3	0	1	0	2	Wood, 2d b	5	3	2	6	4	1
Waterman, 2d b	5	2	0	2	3	1	Treacy, 1st b	5	2	1	9	0	0
Brainard, p	5	3	0	0	2	3	Duffy, s s	5	1	0	2	6	1
Allison, c	5	4	2	5	2	2	Foley, c f	5	3	3	3	0	0
Hart, c f	5	3	0	0	1	0	Pinkham, 3d b	4	1	0	1	2	3
Sweasy, 2d b	5	3	2	6	0	1	Hodes, c	5	4	1	1	1	0
Thomas, r f	5	2	1	4	0	0	Zettlein, p	6	1	0	0	1	2
Totals	49	23	10	27	10	12	Totals	49	18	13	27	17	8

INNINGS.—*Runs scored.*	1st	2d	3d	4th	5th	6th	7th	8th	9th
Olympic	1	0	0	2	0	3	5	1	9—20
White Stockings	5	0	1	0	0	2	1	1	2—12

Runs Earned.

Olympic	1	0	0	2	0	2	1	1	0—8
White Stockings	1	0	1	0	0	0	1	1	1—5

Called balls—Brainard, 34; Zettlein, 29. Pinkham, 9. Bases on called balls—Olympic, 11; White Stockings, 2. Wild pitches—Brainard, 1; Pinkham, 2; Zettlein, 1. Passed balls—Allison, 2. Catches on strikes—Allison, 1. Home run—Wood, 1. Double play—Duffy, Pinkham and Wood, 1; Duffy and Wood, 1, and Wood alone, 1. Umpire—J. J. Boardsley, of the Arlington B. B. C. Time of game—2 hours and 25 minutes.

NATIONAL vs. WHITE STOCKINGS.

On the 1st inst. the White Stockings encountered the National nine, of Washington, which has lately been re-constructed, and is now the strongest nine ever placed in the field by the club. The Whites were short-handed, Hodes laying off for the Olympics the next day, and Stearns, an amateur, playing in his stead. Despite the many errors made by both nines, the game was interesting, and had many points of fine play. The batting and fielding was about even, and but for three erroneous decisions by the umpire, the Nationals would have led and won, notwithstanding their bad play at times.

Hurley, at first base, played without an error, and at the bat he excelled, making his first on safe hits every time. Doyle, at short, made some very brilliant stops and throws. White, also, made some good stops but his throwing was weak. Coughlin caught finely, though he sustained a severe injury about the middle of the game by being hit by a foul ball. Hollingshead played without an error at second, disposing of seven Whites. Stearns pitched effectively.

Wood's playing at second was very fine. Foley caught in good style. Pinkham pitched rather wildly, but was quite effective, so much so that Zettlein was sent to the field again, after trying his hand at it in the sixth innings, the Nationals batting him freely. The field of the Whites had nothing to do. The score:—

NATIONAL.	AB.	R.	1B.	P.O.	A.	E.	W. STOCKINGS.	AB.	R.	P.O.	A.	E.
Coughlin, c	6	0	0	1	0	3	McAtee, 1st b	5	1	0	13	0	1
Hollingshead, 2d b	5	1	0	3	4	0	Wood, 2d b	5	2	2	4	7	1
Bielaski, r f	5	0	1	0	0	0	Treacy, l f	5	1	1	1	0	0
Norton, c f	5	0	1	2	0	0	Duffy, s s	5	1	1	0	2	2
Hines, l f	4	1	1	5	0	0	Simmons, c f	5	2	2	0	0	0
Hurley, 1st b	4	4	2	14	0	0	Foley, c	5	1	1	6	1	0
Doyle, s s	4	4	2	1	4	0	Stearns, 3d b	4	1	0	0	2	1
Stearns, 3d b	4	1	0	0	1	3	Pinkham, p	4	0	0	2	2	4
White, 3d b	4	1	0	4	4	2	Zettlein, r f	4	2	1	0	0	0
Totals	46	10	8	27	14	12	Totals	42	11	9	27	12	10

INNINGS.—*Runs Scored.*	1st	2d	3d	4th	5th	6th	7th	8th	9th
National	0	0	0	0	3	3	0	2	0—8
White Stockings	1	0	1	3	0	0	0	1	2—8

Runs Earned.

National	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	1	0—3
White Stockings	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1—1

Called balls—Stearns, 18; Pinkham and Zettlein, 12. Bases on called balls—White Stockings, 2. Wild pitches—Stearns, 2; Pinkham, 3. Passed balls—Coughlin, 2. Double play—Doyle, Hollingshead and Hurley, 1; Duffy, Wood and McAtee, 1; and Wood and McAtee, 1. Umpire—E. Mills, Olympic B. B. C. Time of game—Two hours.

ROCKFORD vs. ECKFORD.

The third game between these clubs, which took place on the Union grounds, Brooklyn, on Sept. 2d, proved to be a very poor display, neither club playing up to their mark. The result was the success of the Rockfords, as will be seen by the appended score:—

FOREST CITY.	R.	1B.	P.O.	A.	ECKFORD.	R.	1B.	P.O.	A.
Mack, 1st b	2	1	15	2	Nelson, 3d b	2	1	4	3
Anson, 3d b	2	3	0	5	Chapman, 2d b	1	1	1	0
Fisher, p	2	3	1	0	Hicks, c	1	0	4	2
Hastings, c	1	2	6	1	Holdsworth, s s	1	4	1	4
Addy, 2d b	2	2	1	2	Shelly, c f	2	3	2	0
Sures, r f	1	2	1	0	Gedney, l f	0	1	5	0
Ham, l f	1	2	1	0	Swandell, r f	1	0	1	0
Palmer, s s	1	1	2	4	Martin, p	0	2	0	1
Bird, c f	2	1	2	1	Allison, 1st b	0	1	9	0
Totals	14	18	27	18	Totals	9	14	27	10

INNINGS.	1st	2d	3d	4th	5th	6th	7th	8th	9th
Forest City	1	5	0	0	1	1	0	5	1—14
Eckford	0	0	1	0	3	1	0	4	0—9

Runs earned—Rockford, 4; Eckford, 4. Umpire—Mr. Phelps, of the Fly Away Club. Time of game—2 hours and 20 minutes.

BOSTON vs. CLEVELAND.

On Sept. 2d, the Boston Club played their third game with the Cleveland nine at Boston, and after a heavy batting game came in the victors by a score of 31 to 10. Up to eight innings the score was about 11 to 2 in favor of Boston, after which the Reds added 25 to their score, to 8 by their opponents. Barnes bore of the palm in the field on the part of Boston, and George Wright at the bat. Johnson and Kimball divided the honors in the field on the other side, Sutton leading at the bat. The score:—

BOSTON.	R.	1B.	P.	A.	FOREST CITY.	R.	1B.	P.	A.
G. Wright, s s	5	5	1	3	J. White, 2d b	1	1	0	3
Barnes, 3d b	5	3	3	8	Pabor, l f	2	3	0	0
Bradley, c f	6	3	1	0	Allison, c f	1	1	4	0
McVey, c	4	4	0	0	Carleton, 1st b	1	2	13	0
Spalding, p	4	2	0	3	Sutton, 3d b	1	3	1	1
Gould, 1st b	5	2	13	0	E. White, c	1	1	3	0
Schafer, 3d b	2	1	2	3	Johnson, s s	1	1	2	3
Barrows, l f	1	1	2	0	Pratt, p	1	0	1	0
H. Wright, c f	3	2	1	1	Kimball, r f	1	0	1	0
Totals	31	23	24	18	Totals	10	16	24	12

INNINGS.	1st	2d	3d	4th	5th	6th	7th	8th
Boston	3	0	0	1	2	13	11	31
Forest City	0	0	0	1	0	1	8	0—10

Runs earned—Boston, 4; Forest City, 3. Umpire—Mr. Tyler, of the Harvard Club. Time of game—2 hours and 50 minutes.

TRENTON vs. ATLANTIC.

The Atlantics visited Trenton, N. J., Sept. 2d, and had a lively game with the nine of that club, the result of which was a victory for the Brooklyn club. The following is the score:—

TRENTON.	R.	1B.	P.O.	A.	ATLANTIC.	R.	1B.	P.O.	A.
Lovett, p	1	0	1	3	McDonald, l f	3	3	5	0
Dunamont, 1f	0	0	3	0	Clinton, 2d b	2	2	2	2
Bradley, r f	0	0	2	0	Burdock, s s	2	0	3	2
Culp, 2d b	0	1	2	4	Holman, 1st b	3	2	10	0
Tackler, c	0	0	6	2	Boyd, 3d b	1	1	5	2
Wilson, 1st b	1	2	7	0	Kenney, c	1	1	0	0
Van Horn, 3d b	1	3	1	1	Malone, p	1	1	1	0
Albertson, s s	0	0	2	1	No-man, c	1	0	1	2
Gummere, c f	1	1	3	1	Mann, r f	0	1	0	0
Totals	3	7	27	12	Totals	14	11	27	6

INNINGS. *Runs Scored.*	1st	2d	3d	4th	5th	6th	7th	8th	9th
Trenton	0	0	0	3	0	2	0	0	0—5
Atlantic	0	0	0	0	1	0	10	3	0—14

Runs earned—Trenton, 0; Atlantic, 3. Umpire—Samuel Gaston. Time of Game—1 hour and 50 minutes.

CONFIDENCE vs. FRIENDSHIP.

On Thursday, Aug. 31st, the Friendship, of New York, visited New Rochelle to play the Westchester champions, the Confidence club, but they returned home the defeated party, the score standing as follows:—

CONFIDENCE.	O.	R.	FRIENDSHIP.	O.	R.
Dillon, 2d b	0	0	Daily, c f	4	0
Brady, r f	4	0	Carmichael, r f	4	0
Hynes, c	0	2	Whitney, 2d b	3	1
Gilligan, l f	4	0	McGorry, c	3	1
J. Hines, p	3	0	Hogan, l f	3	1
Prescott, 1st b	3	2	Ryan, p	4	0
Ross, s s	3	1	Kelly, s s	3	0
Kimball, 3d b	3	0	Koch, 3d b	3	0
Wallace, c f	3	0	Shandley, 1st b	3	0
Total	9		Total	4	

INNINGS.	1st	2d	3d	4th	5th	6th	7th	8th	9th
Confidence	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	2—4
Friendship	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	2—4

Scorers—John Guinan and Chas. Smith. Umpire—Mr. Wm. M. Patterson, of the Star B. B. C., of Mt. Vernon.

PUTNAM vs. SILVER STAR.

The Putnams, of Troy, and Silver Stars, of New York, played a game together in Troy, on Aug. 31st, with the appended result:—

PUTNAM.	R.	1B.	P.O.	A.	SILVER STAR.	R.	1B.	P.O.	A.
Noxon, p	2	1	3	1	Kessler, 3d b	3	1	1	1
Bunting, c f	3	0	1	0	Parroy, p	4	3	0	3
Dakin, 1 f	4	3	1	0	Donohoe, s s	3	1	1	6
King, 1 f	3	3	4	0	Seward, c	3	2	4	1
Barker, c	4	3	4	0	Reipenhagen, 1f	3	3	1	0
Hartnett, 3d b	3	3	1	3	Murray, c f	3	0	1	0
Lenway, 1st b	3	1	4	2	McCabe, r f	3	0	1	0
Lawlor, 3d b	3	2	1	5	Crane, 1st b	3	2	14	0
Boardman, s s	1	1	1	3	Redmond, 2d b	3	1	2	3
Totals	28	21	21	13	Totals	31	15	27	11

INNINGS.	1st	2d	3d	4th	5th	6th	7th	8th	9th
Putnams	4	1	4	2	0	3	2	1	1—18
Silver Star	0	1	1	0	0	0	2	1	0—5

Runs earned—Putnams, 9; Silver Star, 4.

THE CHAMPIONSHIP RECORD.

Below we give a complete analysis of the battles for the championship, including a list of all the games played by the ten professional clubs which have paid their entrance fees as championship contestants. The games are given according to the results of the contests played, without regard to forfeits incurred by playing at distant points. Should our record be incomplete we shall be happy to have it corrected. The only doubt as to regard to the Keokonga games, all the others being official. The clubs are given in alphabetical order:—

Clubs.	Athletic	Boston	Chicago	Cleveland	Eckford	Haymaker	Keokonga	Mutual	Olympic	Rockford	Games Lost
Athletic	—	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	10
Boston	2	—	0	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	10
Chicago	2	2	—	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	11
Cleveland	0	1	1	—	1	1	1	1	1	1	9
Eckford	1	1	1	1	—	1	1	1	1	1	10
Haymaker	1	1	1	1	1	—	1	1	1	1	10
Keokonga	0	0	0	0	0	0	—	0	0	0	0
Mutual	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	—	1	1	9
Olympic	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	—	1	9
Rockford	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	—	9
Games Lost	0	10	10	13	10	10	15	10	10	10	107

Below we give the record of series of games won and lost, and also the double games won and lost, the latter not including games won or lost in the list of series of games. We give the names of the clubs in the order of their winning position:—

Clubs.	Series Won.	Series Lost.	Double Won.	Double Lost.
1. Athletic	7	0	3	0
2. Chicago	6	1	6	1
3. Boston	3	0	4	2
4. Haymaker	1	0	3	3
5. Mutual	1	0	2	4
6. Olympic	1	1	0	1
7. Rockford	0	3	3	5
8 Keokonga	0	0	1	0
9. Cleveland	0	2	1	4
10. Eckford	1	2	2	5

By the following record it will be seen what each of the leading clubs have yet to do to complete their record. The list only includes clubs which have lost a series:—

Clubs.	Single Game to Win.	Double to Win.	Treble to Win.	Total to Win.
1. Athletic	3	3	0	7
2. Chicago	1	1	0	2
3. Boston	1	0	2	3
4 Haymaker	3	3	3	17

The Kekonga Club may be counted out of the lists, as they have had no legal nine in the field since the 25th of July, and sixty days from July 25th would leave them but four weeks to play about twenty odd games in. The Olympic Club have played legal games only since July 15th, and the Rockfords only since June 16th. The Mutual Club have yet 14 games to win to complete their series, and that only in case they won every game they play during the remainder of the season. In their present condition this is almost an impossibility. The battle for the white pennant therefore now remains to be fought between the Athletic, Chicago, Boston and Haymaker clubs, none of which have as yet lost a series of games. As the test game between the Athletic and Chicago nine is to be played in Chicago, the chances are that the Whites will win. In such case the Bostons will become prominent as second in the list. The Haymakers, however, are looming up strong, and on a fair ground, with a competent and impartial umpire, their stock would have the lead in the market.

THE CHAMPIONSHIP RECORD.

AUGUST.

The following is the record of championship contests for August. We name the winning club first:—

Aug. 1, Chicago vs. Mutual, at Chicago	15	to 4
Aug. 1, Olympic vs. Rockford, at Washington	12	to 9
Aug. 2, Athletic vs. Eckford, at Philadelphia	9	to 2
Aug. 3, Haymaker vs. Boston, at Troy	13	to 12
Aug. 3, Rockford vs. Kekionga, at Rockford	4	to 0
Aug. 4, Rockford vs. Mutual, at Rockford	10	to 6
Aug. 4, Eckford vs. Boston, at Brooklyn	6	to 4
Aug. 4, Athletic vs. Olympic, at Philadelphia	10	to 2
Aug. 5, Athletic vs. Olympic, at Washington	16	to 7
Aug. 5, Boston vs. Rockford, at Brooklyn	11	to 4
Aug. 8, Chicago vs. Kekionga, at Chicago	13	to 10
Aug. 8, Boston vs. Olympic, at Washington	7	to 4
Aug. 8, Rockford vs. Cleveland, at Chicago	10	to 5
Aug. 9, Eckford vs. Haymaker, at Troy	10	to 7
Aug. 10, Cleveland vs. Chicago, at Chicago	12	to 10
Aug. 12, Boston vs. Eckford at Boston	13	to 8
Aug. 16, Chicago vs. Olympic, at Chicago	11	to 2
Aug. 17, Olympic vs. Chicago, at Chicago	8	to 7
Aug. 17, Boston vs. Rockford, at Boston	11	to 7
Aug. 17, Eckford vs. Haymaker, at Brooklyn	15	to 13
Aug. 19, Eckford vs. Mutual, at Brooklyn	12	to 3
Aug. 21, Mutual vs. Rockford, at Brooklyn	5	to 5
Aug. 21, Chicago vs. Olympic, at Cincinnati	35	to 6
Aug. 22, Mutual vs. Boston, at Brooklyn	15	to 11
Aug. 23, Athletic vs. Rockford, at Philadelphia	13	to 3
Aug. 25, Haymakers vs. Cleveland, at Cleveland	11	to 2
Aug. 25, Olympic vs. Rockford, at Washington	5	to 4
Aug. 26, Olympic vs. Rockford, at Washington	18	to 2
Aug. 28, Athletic vs. Rockford, at Philadelphia	17	to 10
Aug. 28, Chicago vs. Mutual, at Brooklyn	6	to 4
Aug. 29, Kekionga vs. Haymaker, at Fort Wayne	6	to 4
Aug. 30, Chicago vs. Athletic, at Philadelphia	3	to 2
Aug. 30, Haymakers vs. Cleveland, at Cleveland	17	to 15
Aug. 31, Olympic vs. Chicago, at Baltimore	16	to 4
Aug. 31, Rockford vs. Mutual, at Brooklyn	14	to 4

ECKFORD vs. CLEVELAND.

On Sept. 1st the above clubs completed their series, the fifth game being played on the Union Grounds, L. I., in the presence of about four or five hundred spectators. The following is the record of their contests together this season:—

June 17, Eckford vs. Cleveland, at Brooklyn	1
July 5, Eckford vs. Cleveland, at Brooklyn	2
July 14, Eckford vs. Cleveland, at Cleveland	11
July 21, Eckford vs. Cleveland, at Cleveland	2
September 1, Eckford vs. Cleveland, at Brooklyn	14

In the contest of Friday last the fielding was poor on both sides, there being a total of 33 fielding errors in the game. The Cleveland nine included a new short stop in place of Hass, a player new to the professional fraternity, named Quest, who acquitted himself well and gave promise of future excellence. Of the 14 runs obtained by the Eckfords but one was earned, and of the 11 credited to the Cleveland nine, seven were obtained by glaring errors. The score:—

FOREST CITY.	R.	1B.	P.O.	A.	ECKFORD.	R.	1B.	P.O.	A.
J. White, 2d b	1	2	2	0	Nelson, 3d b	0	4	3	
Pabor, l f	1	1	1		Chapman, r f	1	2	0	
Allison, c f	3	1	4	0	Hicks, c	2	4	6	
Sutton, 3d b	1	1	2	2	Holdsworth, s s	0	2	4	
Carleton, 1st b	1	3	9	0	Shelley, c f	2	1	1	0
E. White, c	1	3	5	1	Gedney, l f	1	1	7	0
Quest, s s	2	2	2	3	Swandell, 2d b	1	2	1	1
Pratt, p	1	0	0	3	Martin, p	3	1	0	1
Kimball, r f	0	1	4	0	A. Allison, 1st b	0	2	8	0
Totals	11	11	27	10	Totals	14	10	27	8

INNINGS.	1st	2d	3d	4th	5th	6th	7th	8th	9th
Forest City	1	0	0	4	1	2	2	0	1—11
Eckford	1	0	1	2	3	0	0	7	0—14

Runs earned—Forest City, 4; Eckford, 1. Total bases earned—Forest City, 13; Eckford, 10. First bases on errors—Forest City, 8; Eckford, 7. Total fielding errors—Forest City, 21; Eckford, 12. Left on bases after clean hits—Forest City, 3; Eckford, 6. Time of game—two hours and fifteen minutes. Umpire—Mr. Rogers, of the Star B. B. C.

HAYMAKERS vs. KEKIONGA.

The return match between these clubs, which was played at Fort Wayne, Ind., on Aug 29th, resulted in the defeat of the Haymakers, the only lost game of the tour. It did not affect their position in the arena, however, as the present Kekionga nine are not legally entitled to play together in a championship match until October, some of them having played in other clubs in July and August. The score:

HAYMAKERS.	A.B.	R.	1B.	P.O.	A.	KEKIONGA.	A.B.	R.	1B.	P.O.	A.
McGeary, c	4	0	0	3	1	Halliman, s s	5	1	1	2	3
York, c f	4	0	0	2	1	Carey, 2d b	5	0	0	2	0
Flowers, s s	4	0	0	3	3	Goldey, 3d b	4	0	0	1	2
Firan, 1st b	4	0	0	11	1	Kohler, 1st b	4	0	1	6	0
King, l f	4	0	1	2	0	Foran, l f	4	1	2	2	0
McMullin, p	4	1	1	2	7	Quinn, c	4	0	1	2	2
Pike, r f	4	0	1	0	0	Matthews, p	4	0	0	1	2
Bellan, 3d b	5	0	0	1	1	Armstrong, c f	4	0	1	4	0
Cravyer, 2d b	3	0	1	3	2	Kelley, r f	4	0	0	5	0
Totals	34	4	6	27	11	Totals	39	2	6	27	8

INNINGS.—*Runs scored.*	1st	2d	3d	4th	5th	6th	7th	8th	9th
Haymakers	0	0	0	0	3	1	0	0	0—4
Kekionga	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0—2

Runs earned—Haymakers, 3; Kekionga, 1. Double play by McGeary and Flynn. Total bases—Haymakers, 8; Kekionga, 12. Umpire—Harry Dean. Time of game—1 hour and 40 minutes.

SHORT STOPS.

The Cincinnati Amateurs made a trip to Frankfort, Ky., on the 31st, and defeated the Valley Club, of that burgh, 23 to 12. They have in contemplation a raid on Chicago and Cleveland.....The Typos, of Cincinnati, on the 30th, a second time overcame the Court House nine, this time by a score of 26 to 21.....On the 29th, the Cincinnati Amateurs walked through the "Plaid Stockings," of Covedale, Ohio, 71 to 4.....The Athenians paid a visit to Catskill on Aug. 30th, and on the following day played the Lone Star Club, of that place, the latter winning by a score of 25 to 11. The A's return thanks to the L. S's, for courtesies extended to them while there.....The Chelsea's defeated the Sylvans at Hunter's Point, L. I., on the 1st inst., by a score of 24 to 10. The Chelseas play the Fly Aways for the junior championship, at Hunter's Point, on Sept. 7th.

THE AMATEUR CHAMPIONSHIP.—We have received a communication from Mr. Tracy, of the Lone Star club, suggesting arrangements for a series of amateur championship games. Now in regard to championship contests the less the amateur class of the fraternity have to do with them the better. With clubs like the professional organizations which engage in the game solely for gate money receipts, championship contests are a necessity; but with legitimate amateur clubs anything like championship contests creates a rivalry and an ambition to take the lead, which eventually degenerates into a quasi professional condition of such clubs as we now find our leading amateur organizations in. They, in their eagerness to secure first-class players, remunerate them either by money or positions equivalent to money, and to get the required influence and funds they go in strong for the game solely for gate money receipts, and by this means differ only from regular professional organizations by not paying their players openly and by regular salaries. Gate money receipts is rapidly debasing amateur clubs, and as such funds are necessary to sustain championship organizations, we advise amateur clubs to leave championship contests to the professional clubs.

TRENTON VS RESOLUTE.—A lengthy communication on the subject of the dispute about the umpires in the late game between the above clubs, sent up from the columns of the Trenton Club, is not published because of limited space and because the dispute in question is not the true issue involved. The Trenton Club entered upon the match with an illegal nine and played them under protest. The game is therefore a forfeited one without regard to the umpire question at all. If a legal nine cannot

CUPID'S FOIBLES, FOLLIES AND FANCIES.

CONDEMNED.

WRITTEN FOR THE NEW YORK CLIPPER,
BY HANK DARLY.

"May God have mercy on your soul." Oh! judge, take back that word,
And every one you've uttered, and every one I've heard;
You wish to hang me up till dead, while in the prime of life,
And just because I tried to save from shame my darling wife.

I never had an angry word with woman, man, or child,
Yet I confess in my young days I was a little wild,
Till Nancy White from Malmo came, and cast o'er me a cloud,
And made me leave my idle path, and hold my head up proud.

She said, "Now Abe, come leave that gang, they'll only bring you harm;
I left them, and soon got a job to work upon a farm;
My face, my neck, my arms grew brown, by workin' in the sun—
Yet while I worked, I knew full well I labored for some one.

The days went by, and soon I took dear Nancy for a mate,
To help me on my path through life, and ever keep me straight;
And so she did; I found in her a gentle friend and true,
True as the star that shines above, from out the sky so blue.

And years rolled by, and to our place there came a city chap—
He was a handy man, I swear it judge, that caused all my mishap;
He was a handy man, I swear it judge, that caused all my mishap;
Yet though my Nance was country bred, she had a pretty face,
And always carried high her head, and with a queenly grace.

This chap he soon fell in with Nance, and with his city art
He tried to fill her head with stuff, and win a trusting heart;
He tried to fill her head with stuff, and win a trusting heart;
But judge, my Nancy knew her place, and filled it with a will.
But judge, my Nancy knew her place, and filled it with a will.
And yet this chap he hung around and strived to win her still.

I gave him warning once or twice, he didn't mind my say,
But still kept up his little game and called on her each day;
And often he brought presents too—gold watches, drops, and rings,
But Nancy wouldn't notice him nor any of his things.

I went to take a walk one night, just as the twilight fell,
And overheard a little talk from him I knew too well—
He said he'd abduct Nancy, and take her far away,
And wed her as a plaything, judge—that's what I heard him say.

At twelve at night he'd take her off and then put out to sea—
You can but judge my feelings when I heard this villainy;
He would abduct my Nancy, but I'd stop his little game;
I went and got my pistol, judge, and waited in the lane.

I waited long—at length he came, in his arms was Nance asleep,
He hurried quickly down the lane; I after him did creep;
My rage I tried hard to suppress, but couldn't keep it in—
I raised my pistol, fired, he fell; you charged me killing him.

Was I right in doing it? You do not say I was—
I did not mean to kill him, yet I had a willful cause;
I did it in a passion, judge, to save my darling wife,
And just let gentlemen have heard, and swore away my life.

I had a sort of trial, judge. You couldn't call it fair;
No money or lawyer had I, you wouldn't let me swear,
And I must die an awful death! God help my darling wife.
For when I'm gone, there'll be none left to protect her all through life.

I do not blame you for it; judge, yet when you're called above,
Then may you know your helpmate's grief, her all devouring love,
And if 'tis in a case like mine, you've run hard to the goal,
Then may, that master up above have mercy on your soul.

A FIENDISH ABORTION CASE.

SUICIDE OF HER SEDUCER.

A trunk was left at the Hudson River Railroad depot, this city, on Saturday, August 26th, in the bottom of which, with the head resting upon the knees, was the body of a young woman. The trunk was only two feet six inches long and eighteen inches deep, and yet a body over five feet in length had been forced into it. To do this the fiends had placed the corpse upon its right side, doubled up the legs and bent the head forward. The girl could not have been over eighteen years of age, and was an unusually beautiful "blonde," with fine features and a complexion of extraordinary clearness. Her long auburn hair of a shining color, hung in heavy tresses over her shoulders and hid her breast. Her hands, though small and slender, showed that she had labored. No cuts or marks of assault were found upon the body, al hough there were slight signs of decomposition about the privie regions. The body of the young woman was ultimately removed to the Bellevue Hospital Dead-house. He re it was taken from the trunk and placed in a common pine coffin. The body, when found in the railroad depot, showed few signs of decay, but six hours in the dead-house converted it into a loathsome object. The face and neck swelled into horrible proportions, and the upper portion of the body turned almost black from rapid decomposition. Deputy Coroner Cushman made a careful post-mortem examination of the body next day. On opening the abdominal cavity he found it filled with liquid and showing signs of peritonitis. The womb was large and contained evidences that a fetus had been expelled. Dr. Cushman was of the decided opinion that death was caused by acute peritonitis, resulting from an abortion. Subsequently, Joseph Rosenzweig, alias "Doctor" Lichen, a Polish Jew, of 687 Second avenue, and having his principal office in Amity place, was arrested on the charge of being an accessory in the case.

As might be expected, such an event caused considerable excitement, more particularly as the case was shrouded in so much mystery, which, as a matter of course, the police set about unraveling, and the columns of the daily press of the past week have teemed with the details, but we have not room to find sufficient space for. The following, however, are the chief particulars:—

The unfortunate victim is proven to have been a Miss Alice A. Bowlsby, of Paterson, N. J., the daughter of a widow lady named Catharine C. Bowlsby. Alice was the elder of three daughters (twenty-one years of age, a fine-looking girl, with fair face, light hair, laughing blue eyes, rather tall, of very graceful carriage, and very stylish in her dress. While she was not what would be called remarkably handsome, she had one of those pleasantly animated faces that attract the attention of the spectator, and which appear to all the greater advantage when engaged in conversation. She was born in Troy, a small village in Morris county. She was greatly beloved by her acquaintances. Met alice had a good many admirers, but the young man who had paid the most attention to her was one Walter L. Conklin, an assistant bookkeeper in the Dale Manufacturing Company's silk mill at Paterson, a young man of about 22 or 23 years of age, handsome in appearance, light complexion, with light hair and small moustache, and scrupulously tasidious about his appearance and dress, and was about 5 feet 6 inches in height and slightly built. For some time before the death of Alice he had been frequently seen in company with Miss A. J., with her mother. On Wednesday, Aug. 23d, she left Newark with the expressed intention of returning to Paterson by way of New York. It is supposed that the deceased, who was unmarried, stopped by pre-arrangement at 57 Crosby street, where Conklin boarded, in order to hide her shame from the world, and that she met her death at the hands of the unscrupulous wretch who traded on the ignorance and folly of the unfortunate.

Jane Johnson, a servant of Rosenzweig's, was arrested and put under Warden Brennan's surveillance at Bellevue Hospital, who succeeded in eliciting the following confession from her:—"On Wednesday afternoon, Aug. 23d, a young lady, answering the description of the body found in the trunk, and dressed as Miss Bowlsby is said to have been dressed, entered Dr. Rosenzweig's house, 687 Second avenue, by the front parlor door. After entering the above named door, she was immediately taken up stairs by the doctor, and escorted to his private room. The doctor came in the house with full speed by the basement door about two minutes before the young lady entered the parlor door. He walked to the kitchen and locked in—something very unusual for him to do. To the very best of my opinion, he closed the kitchen door after locking at me. When he left, I opened the door and all is ended, and ran up to the parlor floor, when I saw the young girl going up to the second floor. I took no more notice of the affair on that day, but I listened to see if I could hear her going out, but I failed in doing. The same afternoon I asked Rosie, the doctor's daughter, who that lady was that went up stairs, when Rosie replied that she was a patient who wanted to see her father. I again asked Rosie on the following day if that lady was better, and she answered:—'Oh, no; her friends took her away last night.' I said, 'How could she go in all that rain' (it was very stormy that night.) 'when you told me she was very sick?' Rosie said:—'They had a nice carriage, and she was wrapped up so that no one could be told.' I thought all that story was right until this excitement took place. After this lady came to the house, Rosie went immediately up stairs and remained there some time, and then returned to the kitchen. Mrs. Rosenzweig called for a can of tea and told me to have Rosie bring it up to her. This is all I remember of the circumstances until I recognized the comforter, stripped on one side and large figures on the other, and also the baby's diaper, which were shown me by Warden Brennan, and which were found in the trunk with the baby, as the property of the house. On Saturday morning, Mrs. Rosenzweig told me to hurry up and do my work so as to take the children out walking. I felt somewhat fruitly pleased at this, as it was an unusual occurrence, and did my work as quickly as possible. A little after 1 o'clock I went out with the children and Rosie, and returned in about an hour and a half. This is all I know of the matter.

Among the many who visited the Morgue to see the body of the unfortunate girl was Dr. Theodore G. Kinne, of 161 Main street, Paterson, N. J. The doctor looked at the body and, turning to Warden Brennan, who had accompanied him to the Morgue, said:—"I am sure I know whose body that is. It is the body of Alice Bowlsby, a girl I have known and who resides in Paterson." Warden Brennan, finding Dr. Kinne a gentleman, asked him if he knew of any other person who could identify the body, when, after a moment's reflection Dr. Kinne answered:—"Yes, Dr. Parker, a dentist, in the same building with me, did a great deal of work for Miss Bowlsby, and he can identify her body. I guess." Dr. Kinne then left for his home in Paterson, and next day Dr. Joseph M. Parker, dentist, of 162 Main street, Paterson, went to the Eighteenth Precinct station house with Dr. Kinne, and with Chief Cameron proceeded to the Morgue. The body of the girl had been boxed up in the rude coffin for shipment the day after to Potter's Field, where it would have been interred in a separate paupers grave. Warden Brennan took the body out of the coffin and invited Dr. Parker to examine it. Dr. Parker no sooner looked into the mouth and examined the teeth than he exclaimed:—"My God, this is Alice!" Inspector Walling at once became convinced that the identification was a reality, and had a long consultation with Drs. Parker and Kinne, the result of which has not been made public. But these facts are known in regard to Alice Bowlsby:—That she was the daughter of respectable persons residing at 42 West street, Paterson, N. J.; that she had left home, stating she was going to Newark, and left her aunt's residence about a week previously, taking the 9.15 A. M. train and stating that she was going home, and last, that she never went home, but that coming to this city, all trace of her was lost until on Saturday last she was found in the fatal trunk. Drs. Parker and Kinne were questioned by Inspector Walling as to the dress usually worn by Miss Bowlsby, and, among other articles, they described a blue silk scarf which she frequently wore. The inspector, after all the criminal circumstances had been made up his mind that in the house on Second avenue some little scrap of evidence in the way of clothing must be found, and, calling to his assistance Detectives Cameron and Sergeant Randall, proceeded to the Rosenzweig mansion and commenced a third and thorough search of the premises. They searched every hole and corner in the place, and at length found in a stove a blue silk scarf, which Drs. Parker and Kinne identified to the best of their belief as the one worn by Miss Bowlsby. Then they came to the rear basement, and in the tub at which the servant girl, Jane Johnson, had been washing, was a lot of wet clothes. The inspector took each piece out separately and examined it carefully. At last he came to a plain hemmed white lawn handkerchief; his keen eye noticed some indistinct marks in the right hand corner; he brought it to the window, held it up and gave a shout of exultation; for there, almost obliterated, though slightly blurred, were the tell tale letters, the convicting link in the chain of evidence against the murderer—"A. A. Bowlsby."

That Miss Bowlsby was enceinte is made apparent by the foregoing details, as well as the reason for her coming to this city, for whom she was led into misfortune is not quite so plain, but evidence goes far to make it chargeable upon the aforementioned Walter L. Conklin, he having been Alice's only beau during the past six months, until lately, when a coldness was thought to have sprung up between them. The neighbors say that Mrs. Bowlsby had given them to understand that Alice was engaged to Conklin, and that they were to be married so very soon that Alice's bridal outfit had already been made. On the other hand, Conklin was known to be engaged to an estimable young Paterson lady named Emma Drew, and that they were to be married in a few weeks. As if to give the lie to these assertions he wore a wedding ring on his finger, locket in which was his own likeness and that of a young Russian lady, whom nobody knew, but whom he often alluded to (his friends say jocularly) as his wife. The truth is that he was a terrible flirt, paying attention to one lady for a short time, and then transferring his affections to another. No person of his acquaintance, however, suspected anything wrong of these flirtations, the only reputation they gained him being that of a great lady's man. He resided over five years in Kansas and spoke the language of a country fluently. As he has been very anx ous to return thither ever since he came back to America, it is very probable that his story about the girl in the locket is no joke at all, and that he was really all the time a married man. He has proved himself a great discomfiter in the present case. Although many young men were mentioned as visitors to the Bowlsby house, everybody seemed to seize upon Conklin's name at once, as soon as the news of Miss Bowlsby's identification was known, as that of the seducer. His probable connection with the case was freely canvassed on the streets, and one of the local papers came out boldly and denounced him.

On the morning of Aug. 31st, when Conklin arrived in the office, he appeared as cheerful as usual, until the New York papers arrived, when he became somewhat pale and agitated. He remarked to one of the other book-keepers that "that trunk mystery had been brought to Paterson, and it will was proven that it was a Paterson girl;" he added, "the New York papers are full of it." The subject was the topic of a lengthy conversation among the clerks, but Conklin had the knack to say of any thing apparently nervous. It was observed that he was [illegible] drank when the letters returned. At 20 minutes past 12 ground were heard coming up stairs, who came down to see what was the matter. In the rear of the office is a large room fitted up in a fire-proof style, like a mammoth bank safe, and used for the deposit of silk. It is known as the "stock safe." On the floor of this room was found the form of Walter Conklin, with the blood covering the floor around his head. He was gasping and groaning, but insensible. The fatal shot, fired from a revolver had entered just back of the right ear, passing forward to the temple, lodging under the skin without breaking it. He did not return to consciousness after being shot. His father, brothers and friends hastened and fresh arrived before life ceased, but he did not move after falling when shot. His heart stopped beating at 25 minutes past one, when, amid horror stricken friends and holding the hands of the broken-hearted father and brother, he passed away without uttering a murmur. His coat, usual, he was neatly dressed. His wore a fine summer coat, with dark pantaloons and vest, closely fitting cloth shoes, suits in his shirt bosom and antique cameo buttons in his cuffs.

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In his pocket was found a piece of writing paper, about half the size of a letter sheet, on which was written the following in ink:—

"I have long had a morbid idea of the worthlessness of life, and never felt inclined to modify it; time after time and cause after cause [illegible] to my family, is more than life is worth. Good bye, dear father, mother, brother and sister. Forgive me. WALK."

On Friday, Sept. 1st, a coroner's inquest was held at Bellevue Hospital, at which evidence not materially differing from the preceding was elicited, and resulted in the jury rendering the following verdict:—

We find that Alice Augusta Bowlsby came to her death from metro peritonitis, the result of an abortion, as we believe from the testimony, performed by Jacob Rosenzweig, between the 23d and 26th day of August, 1871, at 687 Second avenue.

The prisoner, Jacob Rosenzweig, who was born in Poland, and is 30 years of age, pleaded not guilty to the charge, through his counsel, and was then committed to the Tombs.

A coroner's inquest was also held at Paterson, N. J., on the 1st inst., over Conklin's remains, at which evidence was adduced proving his association with Miss Bowlsby, and which elicited the appended verdict:—

We, the undersigned jurors impannelled in the case of Walter L. Conklin, deceased, do find that he came to his death by means of a pistol shot, either from his own hand or by some person or persons unknown to the jury. And we also recommend that the Coroner be requested to have the letters, Russian and English, placed together and translated for future reference if required.

Mrs. Williams, of 80 Belmont avenue, Newark, the aunt of Alice Bowlsby, at whose house the unfortunate girl had been visiting when she went to York, a woman of respectability and refinement, throws further light upon the amour-affiance, by the following testimony:—She stated that she went to New York on Thursday, Aug. 31st, to satisfy herself that the mysterious occupant of the trunk was Alice Bowlsby, and if so, to make such an affidavit as would insure the arrest of young Conklin. The young couple had been very intimate, and it was understood by Alice's friends that they were soon to be married. Therefore she had no doubt that Conklin was Alice's seducer. She obtained a warrant for the arrest of Conklin, and although Capt. Cameron offered to send an officer with her, she proceeded alone to Paterson to have Conklin arrested. Arriving in that city she learned that death had served a warrant; that Conklin had died by his own hand. On Monday, the 21st of August, Alice and her mother arrived in Newark from Paterson on a visit to Mrs. Williams. On Wednesday, the 23d, Alice said she had made an engagement with Conklin and was to meet him in New York, from which place they would proceed together to Paterson. She expressed herself, taking more than ordinary pains in making her toilet, and left the house of her aunt at 80 Belmont avenue, saying she was going to meet Conklin in New York. That was the last ever seen of Alice Bowlsby alive by her aunt and mother. On Saturday, the 26th, Mrs. Bowlsby called at her home at Paterson, and was surprised to find that Alice had not been seen since she left with her mother on Monday for Newark. On Monday, the 28th, Mrs. Bowlsby again visited Newark for the purpose of tracing her daughter. Mrs. Williams says she then knew of the terrible trunk tragedy, but did not for a moment suspect that Alice, who always was a good girl, was the victim. If for a moment she associated Alice with the girl found in the baggage-room, the idea was quickly dispelled, for the newspapers stated that the victim in the trunk was of full figure, well proportioned and handsome, while Alice was delicate and frail and was not what might be termed good-looking; and the girl found was represented to be about 20, whereas Alice was 23 years old. Remembering that Alice had left home before she left the house, that she was going to New York to keep an engagement with Conklin, Mrs. Williams advised Mrs. Bowlsby to return to Paterson at once and question Conklin as to when he left New York. Mrs. Bowlsby would not listen to the suggestion for a moment. She declared that Conklin was a gentleman; that she held him in high esteem, and that she believed that it was impossible that he should know of her absence. Mrs. Williams saw it was useless to further advise Mrs. Bowlsby and desisted. That evening Mrs. Bowlsby again returned to her home. On Tuesday it was suggested to Mrs. Williams that Alice might possibly be the unfortunate girl found in the barge-room. "That was the first," said Mrs. Williams, "that the thought struck me." On Thursday morning she learned the terrible truth, and immediately went to New York to take measures for the arrest of Conklin. She states that Alice was always careful and discreet in her actions; that her character had never been questioned, and that her friends and relatives were very fond of her. Mrs. Williams stated that there was nothing in the appearance or actions of Alice to indicate that she was in a delicate state, and that the idea was never dreamed of by her friends.

The foregoing particulars give a general idea of the case as it stands at the time of our going to press. The formal trial of Rosenzweig, when it occurs, will no doubt lead to further developments. We need hardly state that the murder and suicide has created intense excitement in this region.

CONTRI'S THREE WIVES.

A woman, giving her name as Virginia Contri, arrived at Poughkeepsie, New York, on Tuesday, August 29th, from Boston, and claimed Louis Giuseppe Contarini, now in jail there on a charge of bigamy, as her lawful husband. This makes the third wife living. The Boston lady, when Contri married her, was a widow named Delancy. Her maiden name was Jane McSheehy. She shows Contri's picture and letters from him. His New York wife, Louisa Eicke, is also there, as is also his Poughkeepsie wife, Mary Dunn. The case came before the grand jury on Aug. 29th, who, resolving to have the prisoner fully identified by the wives, instructed the jailer to bring him from his cell into their presence. Six citizens were then called in, and Contri was placed in their midst. The three wives were then summoned. When they appeared and were seated, each in turn was asked to rise and look on the men ranged before them and see if they could recognize any of them. Mrs. Winston lady rose first, took a quick survey, and then, walking right up to Contri, and pointing her finger at him, said, with great emotion:—

"Oh, you villain, I would mark you anywhere!" Then turning to the grand jury, she said:—"That's the man—that's Contri."

"Is that the man to whom you were married in Boston?" asked the foreman.

At this the Boston lady began to weep, and exclaimed with sobs:—

"Yes, that's the scamp that married me and spent $10,000 of my money gambling and horse racing." (Here she again wept bitterly.) "He took every cent I had, and in a week afterward my place of business was destroyed by fire."

Contri stood like a statue. He gave her only one quick, sharp glance, but said never a word, while the Boston wife heaped upon him in red hot words her extreme contempt.

The next to rise was the New York wife, Louisa Eicke, a young, good natured little creature. Upon Contri's preliminary examination, some time since, she created quite a sensation in court with her quick and sharp replies to counsel. As she advanced toward the prisoner her face was wrinkled with laughter and she exclaimed, laughingly:—

"Aha! here you are again, eh? Do you know me now?" Then turning to the grand jury, she said:—"This is the man Contarini, but I don't care a snap for him. I never wanted to see him again." She then walked away, still laughing, Contarini not noticing her.

The last wife was then called. She was formerly Mary A. Dugan. She advanced, evidently with much feeling. Recognizing the prisoner and he her, she said, alluding to the conduct of the other women:—"I never was so insulted in my life." She then took her seat.

The three women were then conducted to a retiring room, where they talked together in such an excited manner as to disturb the grand jury and the county court, and an officer had to go and quiet them.

It is strange, in view of the above facts, that Contri's last wife still clings to him. Her father is determined to give the scamp a fair hearing and is the sole instigator of the present proceedings. He is paying for the labors of both the prosecution and defence, a proceeding almost unheard of before. But the old man is honest and is doing all for his daughter's sake. She is so infatuated with the prisoner that she believes the whole thing is a conspiracy to ruin him, and will not believe him guilty until he admits his crime himself.—*N. Y. Sun.*

BETRAYED.

Dr. Perry, of No. 51 Bleecker street, and Madam Van Buskirk, of No. 48, St. Marks place, N. Y., at an early hour on Aug. 28th, drove up to the First Precinct Police Stat on, Brooklyn, in a coupe, in which contained also a Miss Emily A. Post, of Somerville, N. J., and whom the two former wished to leave at the station under the care of the police. The latter, having their suspicion that Miss Post had not been properly cared for, detained the doctor and madam. Upon removal to the city hospital Miss Post was delivered (with forceps), of a large full grown child. After her delivery she was left to sink so rapidly that a coroner had to be notified, who took her ante-mortem deposition, which we append:—

"My name is Emily Augusta Post; I am 30 years of age; I have resided with my parents in Somerville, N. J. About two years ago I was introduced to a man named James Perry, of Plainfield. He was introduced to me as a single man; as such he paid me attentions, I believed, with a view to matrimony; finally he proposed and I accepted him. Under a solemn engagement of marriage he effected my ruin, and it was not until I had been a long time in the family way that I discovered that I was deceived and ruined, that he was a married man with three children. My only thought then was to conceal the fact of my disgrace from my family. This I succeeded in doing for a time, but not long; they soon discovered my sin and shame. About two weeks ago they recognized the necessity of having me remove from my old home, where we were so well known, until my baby would be born. With this intention I was brought by my brother to the house of Dr. Perry, Bleecker street, New York. I was conveyed from there to a house in St. Mark's place, kept by a Mrs. Van Buskirk. This was on Monday week. During my stay there I took some medicine and other things, that the doctor prescribed for me. I paid for it myself, and found it did me much good in quieting my pains. On Sunday last Madame Van Buskirk and Dr. Perry performed some sort of an operation on me—I don't know what kind of one—but they told me it was all right. On the same evening Dr. Perry came again and examined me; he told me to get out of bed, to which I had been confined since the operation, and leave the house. He told me that I could not, as I was too weak; I had hardly spoke; I was suffering the most excruciating agony from labor pains at the time. He said that he would see that I did. Fillmore and Mowris, at No. 49 Bleecker street, Brooklyn, was the nearest friend I had. I told them to drive me there. They drove me across the ferry to Brooklyn, as far as the doctor's house. They then stopped the carriage and carrying me in the house, they set me down in a chair. Then they rang the bell furiously, and asked the girl who looked out from the window, where the doctor was? She said that he was not at home, that Mrs. Swaine was in the country. They then said they would leave me there until the family came home, and were hurrying back to the carriage, when the girl called out that if they did not take me away she would give the alarm. They then returned, took me back into the carriage and conveyed me to the station house."

At 4.30 o'clock on Aug. 30th, the unfortunate woman died from exhaustion. The doctor and his accomplice are now under lock and key, waiting the issue of a further investigation.

BELL DECEIVES HIS BELLE.—On the morning of Aug. 30th, a young woman, well dressed and of prepossessing appearance, was found lying insensible in Mechanic street, below Mulberry, Newark, N. J. She was removed to the police station. In the afternoon she became conscious and talked with her attendants. She gave her name as Florence Smith, and said her father kept a grocery at First and Walnut streets, Philadelphia, and that she had abandoned her home and taken up with William Bell, a plumber, of 88 East Ninth street, New York. She had been two weeks in Bellevue hospi al and was released from that institution on the previous Friday. On the 29th she went with Bell to Newark from Jersey City, and on the following morning Bell gave her $5 to go home with and accompanied her to a drug store, where she asked for arsenic, intending to terminate a miserable life. The arsenic was refused her, but Bell subsequently gave her a dose of a something that tasted bitter, and she lost all consciousness. She was cared for at the police station.

SHOT FOR SEDUCTION.—Capt. J. Theodore Adams, a well known dry goods clerk, employed at Messrs. Seesel & Son's, on Main street, Memphis, Tenn., was killed on Aug. 29th, by J. W. S. Browne, a pressman, whose daughter Adams had seduced. Browne called on Adams on the previous day and demanded that he should marry the girl, which he refused to do. Next day Browne returned with a shot gun and fired at Adams, who was crouching under the counter, the charge taking effect in his right leg, the only one he had, he having lost the other in Petersburg, Va. Adams lived about three hours. Browne surrendered himself to the police.

A WIFE TOO MANY.—Thomas Robinson, aged 30, of 302 West Twenty-sixth street, was arrested on Aug. 29th, accused of bigamy by Catharine [illegible] of Farming-ham street, who claims to have been married to him about five years ago. They lived together four years, and then Robinson suddenly disappeared. On the 16th of April last he was married to another woman, in the Stanton Street Baptist Church, by the Rev. Christopher Rhodes. A certificate of the latter marriage was produced by the original Mrs. Robinson.

GERMAN ASSIDUITY.—Not even the hardships of war seem to dampen the German ardor for reading. It is related that an officer in the Landwehr before Paris asked his wife to send him Kant's "Kritik of Pure Reason." The son of the Prussian Minister of Justice, when before Paris, wro'e home for books and his father sent him the "Institutes" of Justinian. A Heidelberg student, who was called away to serve as a private in the artillery, and was first before Metz and then through the campaigns against the Loire army, suffered great hardships in the field; but the only complaint in his home letters was that he could get no books.

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BONES TELLS A "FLY" STORY.

BONES.—Say, Misser Johnson, is you troubled wid flies in your locations visstinnity?

INTERLOCUTOR.—You mean, am I troubled with flies in my vicinity?

BONES.—Yes, dat's it; I mean is dere many flies up at your residence.

INT.—Well, yes, I must say we are somewhat annoyed by those insects at my *palatial mansion.*

BONES.—Your whats'er?

INT.—My palatial mansion, I said, sir.

BONES.—Do you live there now?

INT.—Of course, sir.

BONES.—Which side of the chimbley do yer sleep on?

INT.—Sir!

BONES.—What kind of bricks do you use for pilk wa?

INT.—You are getting impertinent. Besides, what has this got to do with flies?

BONES.—The swallow *flies* there, don't he.

INT.—Come, sir, be kind enough to get back to your original subject.

BONES.—Well, see here, we was talkin' 'bout flies, wasn't we?

My wife—you knowed dat I was married?

INT.—No, sir, I did not.

BONES.—Oh, yes, I'm a mar-tar. I suffer.

INT.—This has nothing to do with flies.

BONES.—Yes it has. I suffer when she *flies* into a passion.

INT.—Proceed with your fly story.

BONES.—Well, my wife—by the way, boss, she's a stunner; you oughter just see me and her; why, she—

INT.—I repeat this has nothing to do with flies.

BONES.—Yes it has; I'm getting fit-ty. Well de odder night my wife—dat's de woman I'm married to, took it in her wool dat she was sick, and dat she couldent live till de broke of day. I jist tole her dere was no such happiness for me as her sudden and unhealthy de rua.

INT.—*De-mise*, you mean.

BONES.—Well, I mean; "dead gone." You see she says:—"I'm on de road to Canan sure, Pete, and if you don't go fotch de doctor I get dem chills sure's I'm a libin, I won't live de night out." So off I rushes to pollotercary shop. De place was full, you see, and I had to jist shuv my way up to de bar. Right alongside of me stood a nigger dat was awful anxious for something, and as if dere was a nigger dat was awful anxious for something, dat's de first one I struck. Well, we pushed each odder, and jist about de same time de clerk hands him and me our goods. I went right home and gave it to Marusha Jane. Well, de next mornin' I woke up, and dat Creaso-nate dat I married my million dead flies all over Marusha Jane, and de relations of dem flies have been 'round de house eber since.

INT.—What killed those flies?

BONES.—I pasted a plaster and the clerk handed me what the other man called for.

INT.—What was that?

BONES.—Fly paper, by Moses.

INT.—That's about enough of that; we will now have a song about

SEIGHING IN THE PARK.

SONG AND CHORUS.

To Miss Ada Harkand.

Among the joys of life there's one
I like above them all;
I think it is a grand old fun
Than skating, song or ball.
It's very nice to slide the see,
But then I must remark—
I think that it is nicer far
This sleighing in the Park.

Chorus—Sleiching in the Park, boys,
Gliding up the street,
Is it not lively fun
Bowing to all you meet?
Flashing past the cutters,
Singing after dark;
Dashing o'er the gutters,
Sleighing in the Park!

For with my dearest 'neath my arm,
I like to dash along,
And if I kiss her—where's the harm?
I wonder what's wrong.
The horses dancing, prancing go,
Their hoofs strike many a spark,
This is the jolliest thing, I know,
This sleighing in the Park.

Chorus—Sleighing in the Park, boys, &c.

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Gealer	Mr. Hartenthal	Mr. Clarke	
Sarnem	T. Placide	Erni	Harvey
Struth	Fisher	Furst	Russell
Rudolph	Collett	Verner	Bakeley
Hoffman	King	Leuthold	Sutton
Gerard	Case	Michael	Mason
Braun	Placide	Jagheli	Wheatley
Jemmi	Mrs. Durie	Hedwiga	Johnson
Agnes	Gardner	Theodore	W. Sancker
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Albert	Miss J. Turnbull	Emma	Mrs. Chapman

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THE BEE HIVE.

Rattan	Mr. Richings	Emily	Mrs. Gurner
Capt. Merton	T. Placide	Cecily	Mrs. S. Chapman
Mingle	Latham	Mrs. Mulish	Wheatley
Joe	Povey		

Wednesday—Last night but two of the engagement of
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RIP VAN WINKLE.

Rip ..... Mr. Hackett

JOB F. X.

Job Fox ..... Mr. Hackett

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EPITAPH ON A FAVORITE.

A little spaniel bitch strayed into the theatre in Drury lane, London, once, and licked upon Mr. Beard as her master and protector; she was constantly at his heels, and attended him on the stage in the character of Hawthorn. She died much lamented, not only by her master, who was a member of the Beefsteak club, but by all the other members; at one of their meetings, as many as chose it, were requested to furnish at their next meeting an epitaph; among divers, preference was given to the following:—

Beneath this turf a female lies,
That once the boast of fame was.
Hark reader, weep, and with her wise,
You'll then know what her name was.
In days of youth—(be censure blind)
To men she would be creeping;
When 'mongst the many one prov'd kind,
And took her—into keeping.
Then to the stage she bent her way,
Where more applauded than she was;
She gain'd new lovers every day,
But constant still to—one was.
By players, poets, peers, address'd,
Nor bribe nor lucre could her bury;
And tho' by all the men caress'd,
Yet all the women lov'd her.
Some kind remembrance then bestow
Upon this spaniel sleeper!
Her name was *Phillis*—you must know
One Hawthorn was her keeper.

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STATE AND NATIONAL FAIRS.

Alabama, Montgomery, Oct 16, 20; Arcadia, Little Rock, 3, 6; American Institute, New York, Sept. 25-Nov. 4; California, Sacramento, Sept. 18, 23; Okonokee (Ga. 2nd Ala.) Agricultural, Rome, Ga., Oct. 10, 13; Cincinnati Industrial, Cincinnati, O., 7; Colorado, Denver, Sept. 12, 16; Cotton States Mechanic and Agricultural, Augusta, Ga., Oct. 31, Nov. 4; Dixon House, Dixon, Sept. 15, 16; Georgia, Macon, Oct. 23, 26; Illinois Swine, Chicago, Sept. 19, 21; Illinois, Du Quoin, 26, 30; Indiana, Indianapolis, Oct. 2, 7; Iowa, Cedar Rapids, Sept. 11, 15; Kansas, Topeka, 11, 15; Louisiana, New Orleans, Nov. 10; Maryland, Baltimore, Oct. 5, 6; Mississippi, Kalamazoo, Sept. 19, 22; Mich. Union of State Pom. So. & M. Ag. & Mech. So. Grand Rapids, Sept. 12, 15; Minnesota, St. Paul, 26, 29; Missouri, St. Louis, Oct 2, 7; Mississippi, Jackson, 23, 28; Nebraska, Brownville, Sept. 26, 29; New England, Lowell, Mass., 5, 8; New Hampshire, Dover, 26, 29; New Jersey, Waverly, 19, 23; New York, Albany, Oct. 2, 6; Ohio, Springfield, Sept. 26, 29; Oregon, Salem, Oct. 9, 13; Pennsylvania, Scranton, Sept. 19, 22; Pennsylvania Hort., Philadelphia, 12; South Carolina, Columbia, Nov 6, 11; Tennessee, Nashville, Sept. 26, 30; Vermont, St Johnsbury, 16, 18; Virginia, Richmond, Oct. 31, Nov. 3; Virginia Horticultural Richmond, Sept. 6, 8; Wisconsin, Milwaukee, Sept. 25, 29; South Wisconsin, Janesville, 12, 15.

DISTRICT FAIRS.

Agr. and Hort. Union, Aurora, Ill., Sept. 25, 29; Belle Plain Union, Belle Plain, Iowa, 19, 22; Central Iowa, Des Moines, 14, 22; Central Kentucky, Louisville, 19, 22; Central Mississippi, Jackson, Oct. 3, 5; Central Missouri, St. Joseph, Sept. 22, 24; Central Ohio, Mechanicsburg, 19, 22; Central Pennsylvania, Altoona, 12, 15; Elgin, Elgin, 5, 8; Fremont and Mech. Inst., Danville, Ill., 19, 22; Horse Fair, Dixon, Ill., 13, 16; Middleton District, Ind., Middleton, 15, 16; Northeastern Iowa, Pottsville, Oct. 4, 6; Northern Kansas, Atchison, 5, 8; Northern Kentucky, Florence, Sept. 19, 22; Northern Mich. Stock Agr. and Mech. Ass., Salisbury, 26; North Missouri, Hannibal, 26, 30; Northern Ohio, Cleveland, 12, 17; Northern Wisconsin, Oshkosh, Oct. 2, 5; So. Kans. and Mo. Ag. As., Fort Scott, Kansas, Sept. 25; Southern Wisconsin, Janesville, 12, 15; Southwestern Wisconsin, Mineral Point, 5, 9; Southwest Iowa, Red Oak, Oct. 3, 6; State and Pleasant Valley Grape Growers, Hammondsport, Sept. 26, 28; Tennessee A. M. Ass., Tuscumbia, Ala., Oct. 24, 28; Union, Iowa, Mechanicsville, Sept. 19, 22; Union Fair, Warren, Ill., 12, 15; West Alabama, Eutaw, Oct. 17, 21; Western New York, Rochester, Sept. 26, 29; Wisconsin Valley, Wausau, Sept. 19, 22.

PROVINCIAL FAIRS IN CANADA.

Barton and Glanford, Glanford, Oct. 10; Brant North, Paris, 3, 4; Brant South, Brantford, 5, 6; Brockville and Elizabethtown, Unionville, Sept. 26, 29; Carleton, Ottawa, Sept. 26, 29; Central Provincial (Ont), Kingston, 25, 29; Central, Hamilton, Oct. 4, 6; Cheese Fair, Ingersoll, Sept. 21, 22; Durham and Hope, Port Hope, Oct. 11, 13; East Wawanosh, Wawanosh, 5; Elgin, Newry, 4; Esquesing, Georgetown, 13; Farmers' Institute, Chatham, 10; Howard, Ridgetown, 5; Huron North, Clinton, Sept. 19, 20; Huron South, Seaforth, 21, 22; Kent, Chatham, Oct. 5, 6; Mara, 5; McNab, Balmer's Island, Sept. 27; Mornington, Milverton, Oct. 3; Northumberland West, Cobourg, 17, 18; Olonabee, Peterboro, Sept. 26, No. 1; Chelsea, P. Q., Sept. 20; Oxford North, Woodstock, Oct. 10, 11; Oxford South, Ingersoll, Sept. 21, 22; Proton, Ronaldsay, 20; Perth North, Stratford, Oct. 3, 4; Perth South, Mary's, 4; Renfrew Riding, Renfrew, 3; St. Johns, P. Q., Lacolle, Sept. 21; Saltfleet and Binbrook, Stoney Creek, 29; Southwold and Dunwich, Iona, 29; Toronto, Toronto, 19,

privilege, and the weather was delightful. The contest opened promisingly for an interesting treat of skill, but in the third innings the Excelsiors took a decided lead, and in their sixth innings completely demoralized the Athletics, defeating them very easily. From the third innings to the close of the game the Athletics found it impossible to score a run, Peters' effective pitching and fine support given him in the field resulting in six successive whitewashes for the Athletics, they good batting, assisted by some very loose fielding, the Excelsiors ran their score up into the twenties, the final result being their success by the totals of 25 to 3. They won the first game by a score of 30 to 17, and this victory, therefore, ended the series between them, the aggregate rule for matches being best two out of three. The score:—

Excelsior.	R.	1B.	P.O.	A.	Athletic.	R.	1B.	P.O.	A.
Jewett, r f	4	2	0	1	Wiggins, c f	0	1	1	0
Packer, 1st b	3	2	9	0	Procter, 2d b	0	1	1	3
Dehrman, s s	5	3	1	4	Palmer, s s	0	0	2	5
Frank, 2d b	3	2	4	1	Bennett, r f	0	0	1	0
Peters, p	9	1	0	0	Daly, 3d b	1	0	5	2
Reynolds, l f	4	3	1	0	Richardson, p	1	3	0	3
Pell, c f	4	3	2	0	Cassidy, 1st b	0	0	17	0
Pinaly, 3d b	5	3	1	3	Hartman, l f	1	1	2	0
D. Chauncey, c	2	2	7	0	Barney, c	0	0	7	1
Totals	35	20	27	9	Totals	3	7	37	19

Innings.	1st	2d	3d	4th	5th	6th	7th	8th	9th	
Excelsior	1	6	4	6	4	5	4	4	1	—25
Athletic	1	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	—3

Runs earned—Excelsior, 10. First base on errors—Excelsior, 10; Athletic, 4. Total fielding errors—Excelsior, 15; Athletic, 24. Umpire—H. Rogers, Star Base Ball Club. Time of game—1 hour and 45 minutes.

The Excelsiors play the Resolutes, of Elizabeth, on the Capitolines grounds on Sept. 9th.

STARS vs. LIVE OAKS.

The game between the Stars, of Brooklyn, and Cincinnati Live Oaks, played in Cincinnati, on Aug. 28th, in the presence of a small assembly, the weather being threatening, and the ground wet from previous rains, so that the general opinion was that no game would be played. Jno. R. Brockway, of the Cincinnatis, was selected for umpire, and the Live Oaks having lost the toss, and been sent to the bat, play was called at 3 o'clock. Appended is the score:—

Star.	AB.	R.	1B.	T.	P.O.	A.	Live Oak.	AB.	R.	1B.	T.	P.O.	A.
F. Rogers, 1st b	7	2	2	2	7	0	How, 3d b	4	1	1	1	0	2
Worth, c f	7	5	2	3	1	0	De Mar, p	4	0	0	0	1	1
Dollard, l f	7	5	2	3	2	0	Brown, r f	4	0	1	1	1	0
Clyne, 3d b	7	4	4	6	1	2	Welch, 1st b	4	0	1	1	0	1
M. Rogers, r f	7	4	3	3	0	0	Taylor, c	4	2	1	1	0	5
Bearans, 2d b	7	3	3	5	2	3	Langdon, l f	4	1	1	2	1	1
Jackson, s s	7	0	4	4	0	1	Thomas, c f	4	0	0	0	2	0
Cummings, p	7	3	1	1	2	1	Rile—, 2d b	4	0	0	0	2	0
Barlow, c	7	0	0	0	9	1	Brookshaw, s s	4	0	0	0	2	3
Totals	63	28	25	31	27	8	Totals	37	5	5	6	37	16

Innings. Runs Scored.	1st	2d	3d	4th	5th	6th	7th	8th	9th	
Star	4	3	0	4	0	1	0	11	5	—28
Live Oak	0	1	0	2	1	0	0	0	1	—5
Runs Earned.										
Star	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	2	0	—4
Live Oak	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	—0

Umpire—John R. Brockway, Cincinnati Club. Time of game—1 hour 45 minutes.

LONE STAR vs. EXCELSIOR.

These fine New Orleans clubs played an excellent game on Sunday, Aug. 20th, the score of which will be found underneath:—

Lone Star.	O.	R.	Excelsior.	O.	R.
Condon, 1st b	5	1	Long, l f	5	1
Oby, 2d b	5	0	Shay, 2d b	5	0
Tracy, r f	5	0	Thomas, c	4	0
Hennessey, c f	5	0	Fay, s s	5	0
Redon, s s	4	0	Perry, 3d b	4	2
Leonard, 1f	4	2	Casey, r f	4	0
Amar, 3d b	4	1	Smith, 1st b	4	12
Dullaka, c	4	1	Clemens, c f	4	5
Lauer, p	4	3	Maxent, p	4	0
Total	46	8	Total	43	20

Innings.	1st	2d	3d	4th	5th	6th	7th	8th	9th	
Lone Star	0	0	2	0	3	0	0	0	1	—6
Excelsior	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	1	—3

CRICKETERS vs. BALL TOSSERS.

A party of Philadelphia cricketers played a nine of the Olympic Club, of Philadelphia, on Aug. 18th, with the appended result. The cricket nine included players of the Young America and Philadelphia clubs. The score:—

Olympic.	R.	1B.	P.O.	A.	Cricketers.	R.	1B.	P.O.	A.
Eckerdorf, l f	3	1	1	0	Hopkinson, p	3	1	0	0
Sharp, 2d b	3	6	3	0	Newbold, 1st b	3	5	7	0
Hollings, 1st b	5	6	6	0	Pease, c	2	4	15	1
Warbrick, c	6	5	3	3	R. Newhall, 2d b	5	4	1	0
Wagner, s s	4	3	3	3	D. Newhall, s s	3	2	3	10
Wilkins, p	4	3	1	1	C. Baird, 3d b	3	4	1	0
Powell, c f	3	1	4	0	Henry, l f	4	2	5	0
Rastall, 3d b	4	3	5	2	L. Baird, c f	4	0	0	0
Sayne, r f	4	3	1	1	Bussier, r f	4	3	1	1
Totals	36	30	27	10	Totals	31	28	27	12

Innings.	1st	2d	3d	4th	5th	6th	7th	8th	9th	10
Olympic	5	3	3	1	0	1	0	4	3	2—36
Cricketers	1	1	13	1	0	1	0	5	10	—32

Runs earned—Olympic, 12; Cricketers, 5. Umpire—Wm. McLean, of the Experts. Time of game—2 hours and 50 minutes.

AMITY vs. PUTNAM.

The Amity Club, of Brooklyn, visited Troy, Aug. 22d, and had a match with the Putnams of that city, with the appended result:—

Putnam.	R.	1B.	T.	P.O.	A.	Amity.	R.	1B.	T.	P.O.	A.
Noxon, 1st b	0	2	2	7	1	Cullen, c	1	1	1	11	1
Bunting, c f	2	2	3	0	0	Degnan, s s	2	2	2	0	1
Dakin, 2d b	1	1	1	6	1	Smith, 2d b	1	1	1	4	1
Hadley, 3d b	4	3	7	3	0	Clare, 3d b	2	1	1	4	1
Bonker, c	3	4	6	2	2	Murphy, r f	3	2	4	0	1
Grady, r f	3	1	1	0	0	Curtin, 1st b	3	3	3	6	0
Lenay, p	3	3	1	1	0	Dacey, c f	3	2	4	1	0
Lawler, 3d b	1	1	1	3	5	Donnelly, p	1	1	0	0	3
Boardman, s s	4	3	5	2	4	Cummings, l f	1	1	0	1	0
Totals	21	19	29	27	14	Totals	15	15	17	27	8

Innings.	1st	2d	3d	4th	5th	6th	7th	8th	9th	
Putnam	0	7	1	8	3	1	2	0	0	—21
Amity	1	2	3	0	0	3	1	1	4	—15

Runs earned—Putnams, 13; Amity, 6. Umpire—Charles Frudeau, of Independent.

CRICKET.

ST. GEORGE vs. MANHATTAN.

The first match between these clubs was played on July 4th, the result being a score of 118 in one innings for St. George and 112 in two for Manhattan. On Aug. 24th the return match was played and again were the St. George eleven victorious, and St. George won by a score of 71 to 42 in a one innings game, the Manhattans batting and fielding very fairly.

The contest began shortly after noon, with the St. George eleven at the bat, who opened promisingly for a large score, the third wicket falling for 37. Afterwards this average fell off and their last wicket went down for 71. Of this number Earnshaw contributed 17 after a lengthy stay at the wickets; Sleigh—an acquisition from the Willow Club—batting well for a dozen, and the worthy president of the Club, Mr. Gator, adopting to "not out" in lively style, the others retiring for small figures. After dinner the Manhattans went to the bat and their friends fully anticipated that they would be able to pull off the score without difficulty, instead of which the entire eleven were rapidly disposed of for the small score of 42, Jackson being run out after getting 11 and Hayward carrying his bat out for 10, after making the best hits of the match. The Manhattans were outbatted and outfielded, and despite their good bowling sustained a signal defeat. The score:—

St. George.		Manhattan.	
W. Torrance c and b Byron	2	H. Tucker b W. Torrance	0
Earnshaw run out	17	Jackson run out	11
Sleigh b Jackson	12	Hosford c Torrance b Moeran	4
Moeran c Hayward b Byron	8	Byron c Sleigh b Torrance	6
Fawcett b Raynor	6	L. vesey b Moeran	4
J. Van Buren b Raynor	0	Byron c Torrance b Moeran	0
Brancker b Raynor	2	Hayward not out	10
Hunsche b Byron	1	Oakley c Sleigh b Moeran	0
Cator not out	10	Dale run out	0
Tucker b Tucker b Raynor	0	H. Tucker b Torrance	0
Gesborne b Byron	0	Bishop b Moeran	0
B., 2; l b., 1; w. 2; no balls 1	6	Leg byes, 3; wide, 2	5
Total	71	Total	42

Fall of Wickets.	1st	2d	3d	4th	5th	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th
St. George	7	26	37	47	48	51	52	57	70	71
Manhattan	0	15	31	36	28	31	31	31	35	42

BOWLING SCORE.

Manhattan.	Balls.	Runs.	Maidens.	Wickets.	Wides.
Byron	124	53	5	4	1
H. Tucker	34	7	1	0	0
Jackson	30	15	1	1	0
Raynor	66	26	4	4	0
St. George.					
W. Torrance	66	13	2	2	2
Fawcett	18	6	0	0	0
Moeran	48	15	4	5	0

Umpires—Messrs. Lang and Norley. Scorers—Messrs. Chadwick and Metcalf. Time of game—3 hours and 40 minutes.

WINNISIMMET vs. WALTHAM.

The second elevens of the Winnisimmets and Waltham Clubs played at Waltham, Mass., on the 25th ult., and the result was a most decisive one to the Walthams. Considering the dryness of the season in the east a good wicket was pitched and the game commenced by the Walthams taking the bat. Hadley's 34 was a fine display of free hitting, made up of a 5, a 3 and 8 two hits, which was well supported by Potter's 11. The bowling of Chelsea was not up to their usual standard, and the innings closed with 96 runs, inclusive of 16 wides. Tue Winnisimmets made only 28 in their 1st innings, and being more than 60 behind, they followed their innings and were again put out for a small score, 23, leaving them 1 innings and 44 runs the losers. The bowling and fielding of Dutton and Goodnow is deserving of especial mention, as the annexed score will attest:—

Waltham.	First Innings.	Second Innings.
Goodnow c Burns b Lane	4	Eaton c Clifford b Balsden
J. Harrington c Lane b Bailey	5	Hawes b Balsden
Potter c McGilvery b Bailey	11	Colburns c Farley b Balsden
Hadley c Burns b Farley	34	Williams c Farley b Balsden
Moorhouse c Balsden b Farley	7	Extras
Dutton b Balsden	1	
E. Harrington not out	1	Total

Chelsea.	First Innings.	Second Innings.
Blackmer c Goodnow b Dutton	11	c Eaton b Goodnow
Burns c Moorhouse b Dutton	0	b Goodnow
Chun c and b Goodnow	4	c Goodnow b Dutton
Balsden c Dutton b Goodnow	0	c J. Harrington b Goodnow
Lane c Hadley b Dutton	0	run out
Fay c and b Dutton	4	c Eaton b Dutton
Carlton b Dutton	0	not out
Farley run out	0	b Goodnow
Bailey c Goodnow b Dutton	1	b Goodnow
McGilvery b Dutton	4	b Goodnow
Sanford not out	1	c Moorhouse b Goodnow
Extras	2	Extras
Total	28	Total

Umpires—G. Tinker, for Waltham; H. Carpenter, for Chelsea.

MIDDLETOWN vs. WALDEN.

These cricket clubs—the Middletowns hailing from Middletown, Mass., and the Waldens from Orange county, N. Y.—played a match at the former place on Aug. 21st, the score of which we append:—

Middletown.	First Innings.	Second Innings.
Mitchell b H. Totty	4	b S. Parker
Marsh b H. Totty	0	c S. Parker b H. Totty
Brookmayon b S. Parker	0	c S. Parker b H. Totty
Mallinson, run out	1	b S. Parker
Hay c Joel b H. Totty	3	c Joel b S. Parker
Lee b S. Parker	0	run out
Higham b H. Totty	2	b B. Allen
Firth c H. Totty b B. Allen	0	b B. Allen
Robshaw b S. Parker	0	b S. Parker
Lawrence b H. Totty	0	not out
Carr, not out	0	b B. Allen
Byr, 1; leg bye, 1	2	Byes
Totals	13	Total

Walden.		
Wilkins b Mallinson	7	Totty c Lawrence b Mallinson
Allen c Marsh b Hay	10	Hall, not out
Spencer c Firth b Hay	0	Bradforth b Mallinson
Senior c Mitchell b Mallinson	9	Bingley b Hay
J. Parker c Marsh b Mallinson	7	Byes, 5; leg bye, 1; wides, 5
S. Parker c Robshaw b Hay	7	
Joel, run out	3	Total

CRICKET IN GERMANTOWN.—It is rumored that the New-Young America Club will join forces with the Germantown Club, the next strongest playing club in the country. This club is in a very flourishing condition, and have fine grounds situated on Mr. McKean's place on the Township line road, below Manheim street. The club house is fitted up for the accommodation of lady visitors, and affords a fine view of the ball field, which is kept in beautiful order. The turf is as green and level as the top of a billiard table, and the lot contains six acres. The grounds are loaned to the Germantown Club by Mr. Pratt McKean, and the directors take great pride in keeping them in their present admirable condition. The Germantown Club numbers about two hundred and fifty members, and has the services of William Jarris as professional. He is a native of Germantown, but of English descent, and is a fine bowler. The following is a list of the matches to be played during the closing season by the Germantown Club so far as they are yet arranged:—

September 9th and 16th.—Germantown vs. St. George, New York.
September 16th.—Merion second eleven vs. Germantown second
September.—Germantown vs. Merion, Germantown.

AQUATIC.

NEWPORT CUP REGATTA.

On Monday, Aug. 28th, the regatta for the splendid cup, valued at $1,000, given by the citizens of Newport as a prize for the schooners of the Newport Yacht Club, was sailed off Newport Harbor, the course being from a line from Fort Adams to the Dumpling Rocks, around the buoy off Block Island and return, a distance of 42 miles. The race had to be sailed in eight hours; the time allowance was according to the rules of the New York Yacht Club. The following was reported:—

Name.	Owner.	Allowance.	Time.
Tidal Wave	William Voorh's	14.04	11h 20m. 31s.
Alarm	A. C. Kingsland	13.05	11 09 09
Dreadnaught	S. Samuels	13.00	11 11 26
Palmer	Rutherfurd Stuyvesant	14.09	11 12 29½
Madge	R. F. Loper	14.05	11 19 14
Columbia	Franklin Osgood	14.04	11 16 08
Sappho	William P. Douglas	13.51	11 19 36
Rambler	James H. Beaker	13.08	Not taken.
Foam	S. Homans	13.57	Not taken.

The breeze was rather light from the north-north-east, and each yacht set all possible sail, passing Castle Point as named:—Tidal Wave, Alarm, Foam, Dreadnaught, Madgie, Palmer, Rambler, Columbia and Sappho. Off Beaver Tail Light the Columbia and Madgie passed the Dreadnaught, and at this point the Rambler broke her club yard and had to substitute her working for her balloon maintopsail. The Sappho and Columbia at this time boomed out their immense balloon jibs. The Dreadnaught now passed the Madgie, and the Sappho came up with and passed both the Madgie and Dreadnaught, and the latter passed the Foam and Palmer, and took the fourth place. The breeze changed to the southward, and in just suiting the Palmer in force, that yacht, sailing handsomely just off Point Judith, passed every vessel ahead of her and assumed the leading position. The Sappho, feeling the increased breeze, sailed swiftly past the Columbia and Tidal Wave, and was now third in the race. The Alarm was yet a good second, and sailing excellently. As they neared the Block Island buoy the yachts presented a fine nautical spectacle, especially the sailing ones, which were close together. The Palmer apparently gained upon the others, and was leading the fleet in grand style. In jibbing round the flag-boat she lost one of her guests overboard, who swam in safety to the stake-boat, from where he sailed to those on the yacht to continue the race. But the Palmer was at once rounded to and a boat got out, which pulled to the stake-boat and took him on board and conveyed him to the yacht again. This, of course, lost the Palmer the lead, and in commencing the home run she was the last boat of the fleet. The Sappho and Alarm rounded so near together that they were near fouling each other, but managed to get round clear. The following is the time of turning:—

Palmer	1.45:30	Foam	1.50:30
Sappho	1.47:24	Dreadnaught	1.50:30
Alarm	1.47:24	Rambler	1.50:04
Columbia	1.49:38	Madgie	1.50:45
Tidal Wave	1.49:50		

The homestretch race was an interesting contest, all the yachts laying their course sharp on a wind, the Sappho leading the squadron in gallant style. The Dreadnaught, feeling the freshening breeze, gained on all the yachts, the Sappho excepted, and finally came in close to the Alarm, which was the fourth yacht. Off Castle Point the Rambler met with a second accident, carrying away her foretopmast, when she immediately bore away for New London, not returning to Newport. A large party of ladies and gentlemen were out on board the Dauntless and Wanderer, to witness the close of the race off the home line. The following is the summary, the Sappho winning the cup by three minutes and eight seconds.

Name.	Time of Arrival.	Full Time.	Corrected Time.
Sappho	5.44:48	4.26:11½	4.35:08½
Columbia	3.50:20	4.26:12	4.36:15½
Palmer	3.53:13½	4.29:40½	4.40:36½
Alarm	3.54:48	4.44:49	4.50:59
Dreadnaught	3.57:42½	4.46:14½	4.52:24½
Tidal Wave	4.02:03½	4.51:32½	4.51:11½
Madgie	4.01:17	4.48:43	4.49:37

Just prior to the cup race a four-oared gig race came off between the gigs of the Wanderer and the Columbia. The gig of the Columbia in the rowing contest in the harbor of New London, won a silver cup and a challenge flag with a game cock on it. The crew of the Wanderer's gig challenged the Columbia for these trophies and this trial was the result. The crews were promptly on hand and the boats were towed two and a half miles to windward, it having been decided to row a straight away race of two and a half miles, instead of going round the island, as at first intended. The start was made at about 8.40 A. M., and the Wanderer's crew at once took the lead, which they constantly increased all the way to the finish, coming in about eight lengths ahead. The crew of the Columbia rowed well, but their boat was a much heavier one than that of the Wanderer, which may account for their defeat.

FOUR-OARED SHELL RACE.—On Tuesday, Aug. 29th, a four-oared shell race came off near Bergen Point, N. J., between the Vesper Rowing Association of Yonkers, and the Argonauta Rowing Association of Bergen Point, the former being the challenging party. The race was three miles straight away, from off the New Brighton dock to Elm Park dock, with the current and wind favorable. It was nearly half past six P. M., when the contestants came in line, as follows. The Argonautas, winning the toss for position, chose the Staten Island shore:—

Argonautas.—Rowed by E. J. Bramhall, stroke, weight 150 lbs.; Morris Phillips, No. 2, 162 lbs.; Eph. Brown, No. 3, 161 lbs.; B. Stephenson, bow, 150 lbs. Colors, Mag-nta and white. Boat, 41 feet long, 18¾ inches, 8 inches deep; weight, 100 lbs.

Vesper.—Rowed by John H. Keeler, stroke; 130lbs.; W. Macfarline, No 2, 127 lbs.; Owen Van Winkle, No. 3, 128 lbs.; Thomas Fearon, bow, 133 lbs. Colors, Magenta and white. Boat, 40 feet long, 18 inches wide, 8¼ inches deep; weight, 120 lbs.

At the word the Argonautas took the lead, but the Vespers, steering over towards the Argonautas, overhauled them and unintentionally came into collision, thus causing a foul as the Vespers had left their own water and rowed into the Argonautas, while the latter had maintained a straight course on the inside position, which they had won previous to the start. However, no fault was found on either side, we believe, and by mutual consent a fresh start was made. It was almost seven o'clock when the last start was made, and it looked as if the affair was to be a draw, as the darkness, fortunately the moon came to the rescue, and casting its bright beams upon the waters of the Kill Von Kull, enabled all to view the contest distinctly. The Vesper's oars were the first to grip the water, but in a few seconds the Argonautas obtained a slight lead. How long they maintained it it was impossible for us to see from the steamboat; but it was for a good distance, and even after they were past the Argonautas rowed one of the gamest stern races ye ever saw, and they are entitled to the congratulations of their brother amateurs for their brilliant efforts upon this occasion, even if they were not crowned with success; especially as before the race no Argonauta even thought of victory, or of being able to give the Vespers a decent "shake up." As an illustration of the betting on the Argonauta stock, a wager of $50 to $10 was made in favor of the Vespers, just as they were receiving the word. On the rowing of the Vesper four it is unnecessary to say patiate, as they are admitted and known to be an experienced, enduring and accomplished body of amateur oarsmen. In short, a crew who have been very successful, and who cannot be easily placed astern by any competitors either in regulas or match races. During the last half mile of the race the Argonauta's shell, at intervals, was headed "all over the stream," as if her bow oar was exhausted and had little or no command of the "traveler." At the finish the Vespers spurted handsomely across the line in 17:16; the Argonautas following fifteen seconds later in 17:31. Both shells were built by Thomas Fearon. Judges—Thomas Fearon and B. Stephenson. Referee and starter, John C. Babcock, of the Nassau Boat Club.

HASWELL VS. SADIE.—On Thursday, August 31st, the sloop yacht Sadie and Haswell, both formerly attached to the New York Yacht Club, sailed a match race for a $50 silver cup, the trial terminating in favor of the Sadie. The course was from off Stevenson's Reef lightship, at the entrance of Newport harbor, to around the Vineyard Haven lightship and return, making a course of about forty miles. The start was made by the Sadie at 12.30 P. M. The Haswell following seventeen seconds later. The breeze was blowing fresh from the south-south-east, and the start was a flying one. The breeze freshened during the sail for the Vineyard Haven lightship, but the Sadie increased her lead. The lightship was rounded as follows:—

Sadie	5h. 4m. 0s.	Haswell	5h. 14m. 0s.

The Sadie carried new foresail soon after rounding, but as she was constantly gaining she did not reset a new one. The Haswell did not improve any in her sailing on the home-stretch, and the yachts passed the home goal as under:—

Sadie	5h. 17m. 0s.	Haswell	5h. 32m. 0s.

The Sadie was, therefore, declared the winner, and she fully sustained in this match the reputation she has long enjoyed as an unusually weatherly and fast yacht. The Sadie is owned by Mr. Franklin Burgess, and the Haswell by Mr. Wilson Bulkley.

AMATEUR ROWING IN SOUTH BROOKLYN.—Messrs. Chas. S. Osborn, of the Atalanta Boat Club, and A. Van Latheam, of the South Brooklyn Rowing Club, of which organization he ranks as the champion, had a splendid rowing contest in 17 feet racing boats on Wednesday, August 23d, for a gold badge, valued at $40. The start was from the foot of Court street, Brooklyn, to Bay Ridge dock and return, a distance of five miles. At the start Van Latheam showed a few feet in front, but Osborn took the lead before a mile had been rowed, and was never headed after passed the race. Osborn passed the home-stake a winner of the prize and all the honors by twelve seconds, his time being 41:13. Both men rowed well and their efforts reflected credit upon their respective boat clubs. Osborn, in particular, being specially complimented for his good rowing and nobly-won victory.

THE TURF.

SPRINGFIELD CLUB RACES.

The fifth annual meeting of the Springfield Club was held at Hampden Park, Springfield, Mass., commencing on August 22d. We give summaries of the different races below, which were crowded out of our last issue:—

FIRST DAY, Aug. 22d.—Purse, $700; $400 to first; $300 to second, $100 to third; for horses that had never beaten 3:00.

George Ferguson entered ch g Judge Scott	2	1	1
M. W. Bacon entered b s W. H. Allen	1	3	2
James Dougery entered b m Lida Picton	3	2	3

Time, 2:32½; 2:33½; 2:35; 2:35¾.

SAME DAY.—Purse, $1,000; $600 to the first, $300 to the second and $100 to the third, for 2:34 horses.

G. F. Carpenter entered Lady Ross	3	1	2
J. H. Wilson entered ch g Clarence	1	2	1
A. Goldsmith entered c m Huntress	2	3	4
J. Dougery entered br m Fanny Lambert	5	4	3
D. Bigley entered ch m Fanny	4	5	5
J. J. Bourne entered s g Joe Hooker	dis.		
Wm. Sherman entered b g Farragut	dis.		

Time, 2:33; 2:29¾; 2:32; 2:31¼; 2:33.

SAME DAY.—Purse, $5.0, for double teams that had never trotted better than 2:30 double.

E. Tobey entered s m Susie and mate	1	0	1
W. B. Smith entered blk s Thomas Jefferson and mate	2	0	2

Time, 2:37½; 2:35¾; 2:35¼; 2:35¾.

SECOND DAY, Aug. 23.—Purse, $1,200; $700 to the first, $300 to the second, $200 to the third, for horses that had never beaten 2.31.

G. F. Carpenter entered b m Lady Ross	1	1	1
A. Goldsmith entered b m Huntress	1	3	3
J. S. Baker entered Tom Keeler	5	2	2
J. L. Anderson entered b g G. W. Patterson	3	5	4
T. M. Foster entered b m Dauntless	2	4	5
B. Merahon entered g g Tilesom	6	6	6
D. Bigley entered ch m Fanny	4	8	dis.
T. O. Connor entered w g White Fawn	8	9	dis.
M. Carroll entered b g G. Maynard	9	7	w.

Time, 2:29¼; 2:31¾; 2:31¾; 2:33.

SAME DAY.—Purse, $3000; $1,200 to the first, $600 to the second, and $300 to the third; for 2:25 horses.

S. B. Smith entered blk s Thomas Jefferson	1	1	1
J. Murphy entered b g J. J. Bradley	2	2	3
T. O'Connor entered b g Confidence	4	3	2
H. Brown entered ch g Major Allen	3	4	4

Time, 2:28¾; 2:29¾; 2:28¾—the latter being the best time ever made at Hampton Park.

SAME DAY.—Purse, $700; $400 to the first, $200 to the second, and $100 to the third; for 2:20 horses.

J. Dougery entered br m Lida Picton	2	1	1
G. F. Carpenter entered b m Hartford Belle	1	3	2
Peter Manee entered St. Elmo	4	4	3
J. Bowen entered Jack Foor	3	2	4
M. Carroll entered Lady Alice	dis.		

Time, 2:35½; 2:35¾; 2:35¼; 2:38¾.

From the lateness of the hour, the completion of this race was postponed to Thursday afternoon.

THIRD AND LAST DAY, Aug. 24th.—Purse $700; $400 to the first, $200 to the second, and $100 to the third; for 2:38 horses.

Hantress	1	2	1
Belle or Watertown	2	1	2
Billy Platter	7	7	3

Time, 2:36¾; 2:32¼; 2:31¼; 2:32¼.

SAME DAY.—Purse $1,500; $850 to the first, $450 to the second, and $300 to the third; for 2:29 horses.

Lady Augusta	1	1	1
Tom Keeler	4	3	2
M. B. Palmer	2	2	4

Time, 2:32¼; 2:30½; 2:31¼; 2:32¼.

TROT AT PROSPECT PARK, L. I.

On Thursday, Aug. 31st, a trotting match for $400, two miles and repeat, in harness, came off at the Prospect Park Course, L. I., between B. McGrath's s m Louise, and W. Bennett's b g Mystery. The fact that the horses are also matched to trot a race of three miles and repeat next week gave the present contest an unusual degree of interest, as its result would materially effect the betting on the coming race at the longer distance, on which speculation had been pretty brisk for some time past. Mystery had the call in the betting, selling in pools for $145, to Louise's $100. The latter, who was driven by Miram Howe, was reported lame, but warmed out of it before the start, and trotted a very game race. In the first heat the mare led throughout the first mile in 2:38, and after a highly interesting contest on the last half mile, she beat the favorite home by three lengths, in 5:27¾. The betting now changed to $140 to $40 on Louise, who led fifteen lengths at the end of the first mile, trotted in 2:41, and sweltering her strong lead on the second mile, won easily in a jog by ten lengths. Time, 5:28½. Summary:—

PROSPECT PARK FAIR GROUNDS, August 31st.—Match $400, two miles and repeat, in harness.

B. McGrath entered s m Louise	1	1	
W. Bennett entered b g Mystery	2	2	

Time.	Half.	Mile.	Mile and a Half.	Two Miles.
First heat	1:19	2:41	4:04	5:28½
Second heat	1:19	2:41	4:04	5:30½

TROTTING AT FLEETWOOD.

Two trots came off on this Morrisania, N. Y., track, on Tuesday, Aug. 29th, of which we here give summaries:—

FLEETWOOD PARK, Tuesday, Aug. 29th.—Match $200, mile heats, in harness.

Peter Bagge, Jr., entered Honest John	1	1	
Samuel G. Sheldon entered Nelly Leland	2	2	

Time, 2:34¾; 2:34.

SAME DAY.—Sweepstake $400, two mile heats, in harness.

A. Patterson entered ch m Belle of Oneida	1	1	
H. Casey entered s g Bishop	3	2	
Bob Johnson entered gr m Sprite	2	3	
John Murphy entered b g Billy Bird	4	4	
William Weeks entered bk g Right Belle	dr.		

Time.—First heat—1st mile, 2:43; 2d mile, 2:45; heat, 5:28. Second heat—1st mile, 2:39; 2d mile, 2:41; heat, 5:20.

MATCHES.—A match has been made between W. Lovell's b m American Girl and H. Mosorole's b g Myron Perry, mile heats, best three in five, to wagon, to take place at Fleetwood Park on Sept. 15th, Mr. Lovell making $2,000 to $700 on American Girl. He has also bet Dan Mace $200 to $75, play or pay, that Lady Thorn does not beat American Girl's time during the present summer. Mr. Lovell has also matched his b m Poppy against Dan Mace's b m Lady Thorn, for $500 a side, mile heats, three in five, in harness; to be trotted at Fleetwood any time that Mace may name before the snow flies, on giving Mr. Lovell reasonable notice, a good day and track being specified.

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Aldan, Lizzie A. M.
Anderson, Lydia
Augusta, Millie
Bassett, Ada
Burrell, Mrs. M. L. (2)
Berry, Ostis
Bowers, Mrs. Fanny
Bowers, Mrs. D. P.
Brooks, Maria
Cline, Emma
Clarke, Adele
Chapman, Ella
Conroy, Mary
Chaffee, Ada
Clark, Maggie
Daly, Polly (2)
De Garmo, Secora E
Dale, Sophie
Dewer, Kelly
Gray, Minnie
Gilfoyl, Annie

Haynes, Jennie
Hallean, Mad.
Howland, Lottie (2)
Howard, Emma
Hawthorne, Louise
Hereseell, Elise. 15c.
Harland, Ada (2)
Howard, Jessie
Josephine,
Kemble, Jennie
Keasss, Annie
Lamercaux, Augusta
Little Nell
Louise, Mlle.
Madders, Mrs. Mattie
McClellan, Jennie
Melmer, Fanny
May, Georgie
Marks, Mrs. H.

Neville, Mrs. J.
O'Neil, Hattie
Purcell, Mrs. A. W.
Rogers, Agnes
Raiaford, Marianne
Remmelsberg, Betty
Stewart, Addie
Stuart, Miss L. E.
Sprague, Addie
Stewart, Ada
St. Clair, Rose
Sherman, Lizzie
Sickney, Sallie
Truman Florence
Troy, Cassie (2)
Turnbun, Millie
Willmore, Jennie (2)
Weston, Flora (2)
Wells, Minnie
Wood, Annie, 3c.

GENTLEMEN'S LIST.

Armstrong, Harry, 3c.
Archbold, Mr.
Arey, Henri
Andrews, H. F.
Brown, Thos. W.
Blake, Billy
Bowers, Ben
Burdon, Wallace
Bowditch, W. H.
Bernado, Adolph
Baker, Pete
Bessel, Jas. H.
Boyle, Aug. F. Jr. 3c.
Bailey, F. H.
Bernardo, T.
Brigman, Sig.
Bud, Jake
Bungus, Cool
Bruce, C. Amory
Bidaux, Gustave
Barclay, G. Liopard
Buckenaur, Lord.
Barth, G. J. R.
Carlon, Jas. S.
Conrad, Chas.
Courtright, Billy
Connor, Dan
Christy, Johnny
Carter, O. H.
Caulfield, Geo. E.
Chapman, Geo.
Cook, Woods
Coupe, Geo W.
Cohen, Jerry
Curtis, Isaac
Clark, Harry (2)
Clinton, E. Y.
Chambers, Dr.
Clair, Geo.
Costello, Fred
Dowland, Edwin
Datallie, Mons.
Dalinfield, W. E.
Dunn, Jas.
Dodge Frank
Denier, Tony
Devere, Sam
De Courcey, Herbert
Dyer, B.
De Solis, Maurice
Dwight, Wm. C.
Devere, Wm.
Emerson, Billy
Eades, Harry
Floyd, Edwin
Fillis, Chas.
Fyfe, Chas. J.
Fabian, B. G.
Ferris, John
Farrasis, Sig.

Fox, Wm.
Gaynor, Jas.
Gotthold, E. M. (2)
Garrott, Robt. H.
Goss, Ned
Gester, S. G.
Gaston, Geo.
Gonzales, Adolph
Gaylord, Geo.
Griffith, E. P.
Hall, S. M.
Harris, Pat
Holston, Art
Herbert, Fred 15c.
Hill, Geo. A.
Hanchett, D.
Hapgood, Harry
Hart, Wm.
Haley, Eddie
Holland, Wm. M.
Hurst, Jno.
Horton, Oscar
Hogan, J.
Henry, H. F.
Jesser, G. W. (2)
Joy, C. S.
James, Thos P.
Johnson, Dick
Kelley, Chas. J.
Kidder, Eddie, (2) 6c.
Keller, Jas.
Kline, L.
Kendall, E. P.
Kimie, Chas.
Keller, Harry
Ketchum, Geo. F.
Kincade, Billy
Kenney, Jas.
Lannier, Wm.
La Rue, D. C.
Leavitt, M. B. (6)
Leopar, Clifford (2)
Lawlor, Frank
La Rue, Wm.
Lowry, W. S.
McGowen, Chas.
Milburn, J. H.
Melville, Chas.
Matthews, Chas.
Miller, A. C.
Morrissey, Johnny
Moulder, Jno. P.
Marsden, E.
Nelson, Prof. R.
Nathans, Jno. J.
Newhouse, Gus.
Noyes, C. W. 3c.
Naylor, W. H.
Owens, Thomas

Organ, Wm.
Oberdorf, F. J.
Partello, W. H.
Pike, L. R.
Plunkett, Chas.
Reynolds, Jas. C.
Robinson, Yankee
Richardson, sage, 3c.
Roberts, N. D.
Richards, Wm.
Ryman, Ada.
Robinson, Frank
Rose, Allen
Reynolds, Jim
Rivers, Frank
Robinson, Harry
Rosston, Springer & Co.
Stouts, Mr.
Store, D. W.
Sambrook, Jacob
Sands, Geo. 3c.
Sandford, Joe
Stout, Johnny
Suddaby, Wilson
Sutherland, Agnes
Stone & Murray (2)
St. Clair, Eugene
Somers, Joseph, 3c
Sargent, H. J.
Shelley, Jno. F.
Skinner, Mr.
Slate, Hy.
Sutton, W. H.
St. John, Al.
Sheldon, A. H.
Stanwood, Hy.
Sanford, E. F.
Stowe, Billy.
Schumann, H.
Thorne, Charley
Tyrrell, R. T.
Thayer, Eddie
Vincent, Jarvis
Victorelli, Wm.
Wallington, Wm. (4)
Withers, Jas. O.
Willis, Oscar, 3c.
Willas, O. S.
Wickert, S. C.
Wilson, R. G. (2) 3c
Welch, Fayette
Wilheim, Gustave
Wildman, Fred. J.
Wilson, Mike
Warhurst, T.
Wilson, Geo.
Williams & Mankin 3c
Washburn, Leon W.
Wagner, Cal. 3c.

Introductory Overture.

MONDAY, Sept. 4th, '71.

People are once more settling down to sober, earnest work, the summer season being now at an end, and the dissipation and idleness of the past five or six weeks are giving place to the demands of trade, and the recuperation of the exhausted exchequer. Strangers about to visit the metropolis on missions of business or pleasure should not allow themselves to be intimidated by the daily reports of steamboat explosions, railroad collisions, etc., with which the papers are almost exclusively filled. To be sure, a boiler now and then collapses a flue, but our trained residents understand how to get out of difficulty, by dodging the playful results of these frolicsome little entertainments; and we are about taking out a patent for a new invention, by which telescoped passengers in a railroad re-union may be gathered up and dumped out on either side of the track without the slightest injury or inconvenience—this, it will be seen, will make railroad accidents more entertaining than they are at present, and be provocative of comical fun, owing to the mixed-up condition of the lively passengers as they become landed by the doubling-up process. The prejudiced reports in country papers that our prisons are inadequate to the demands made upon them for the safe-keeping of energetic car-hook murderers, and other ladies and gentlemen in similar lines of business, are, we take pleasure in stating, greatly exaggerated; and even if the wicked and unfeeling statements of our village contemporaries were founded on fact, let it be understood that we have the men to build new ornamental structures of this kind as quickly as we have the men to fill them; so that the gratuitous intimation of our incapacity to provide comfortable quarters for our jovial manslaughterers and social highway robbers falls to the ground; or, in other words, becomes *"another* lie nailed to the counter." No, dear friends from abroad, have no fear, we are equal to every emergency; come with us and we will *do* you, good.....And speaking of doing good to erring mankind, we entered one of our fashionable churches last Sabbath evening, and listened with much pleasure, probably, to a discourse on that favorite subject, "The recognition of friends in Heaven." As we gazed around upon that highly adorned congregation, whose frivolity, gayety and wickedness were even brought into active play in the holy sanctuary, we inwardly wondered whether a sermon on the recognition of friends in the *other* place wouldn't have been more appropriate..... A short time ago we visited the Park Theatre, Brooklyn, to while away an hour, while a man from New York came to see Stoddart as Moneypenny, in the "Long Strike," and while there we were considerably amused at a "little hit" gotten off by Mr. J. W. Shannon, who played the part of Crabkey. It was in scene 3d of 3d act, and, just as he entered, the City Hall bell was on the point of striking nine. As Jack O'Bill entered, the clock struck, while the following dialogue was in progress:—

Jack.—Oi' me a light.

Crankey.—Take one, and be off with you.

Jack.—(After lighting his pipe) What's the clock?

Crankey.—Are you deaf? The clock's just struck nine. The audience saw the joke "on time," and showed their appreciation by a good round of applause. Strange to say, it was about nine o'clock when Dick Radley was shot. Quite a coincidence, wasn't it?.....We now propose, with about your kind permission, dear reader, to grind out a few unprejudiced rhymes anent our minstrel friends, who are once more getting into line on the mimic boards, at the same time that they are getting into line in the CLIPPER. [This is a rather puerile attempt at wit, and some of our less observing and meditative readers may fail to see the least ground for a joke; we look upon all such obdurate and impenetrable readers more in sorrow than in anger.—Ed.] Listen, as we dole out to you a little gem of poesy on

YE ETHIOPIAN COMEDIAN.

His every saying, wink, and grin,
The multitude applauds;
He's "cheeky," gay, and self-possessed,
The idol of the "gods."
He calls his foot a "herring box,"
His digit is a "fin,"
His massive mouth a "cackle trap"
To "shove his fodder" in.

Sometimes our hero scarce can speak!
In fact, can hardly talk,
By paying more attention to
The *bottle* than the *cork!*
He'll follow up a *thread* of fun
Until a joke he's made,
For you must know a funny yarn
Is oft his *stock in trade.*

Although he's nightly "at the end,"
He seldom takes his rest;
When bottled *extracts* he rejects,
His essence pleases best.
He'll yell "pathetic ballads" out
In *up-town* tones,
And though not anatomical
He likes to shorten "bones!"

He'll do a banjo *interlude,*
And tell old-fashioned things
That make you scream with laughter, while
The "old creamons" rings.
Let's hope that he may settle down,
Do not upon the "smash,"
But end his days in happiness
'Mid comfort, cork and cash!

...Some actors are very absent-minded, and get into very trying situations in consequence. It was only the other evening that a juvenile friend of ours went to the theatre without his supper, under the supposition that he had eaten it. Discovering his loss at the sight of some of the property man's "mock-turtle" provender, he at once ——Dear friends, we have lost the thread of our narrative and must claim your kind indulgence, for we have not the remotest recollection of what this unfortunate, absent-minded, supperless man did, on becoming aware of his unrefreshing and discouraging loss; but we knew *another* man, *not* this man, as Mister Toodles so conscientiously remarks, but a person whose abdominal support was not his so'e regard. This actor person, one evening when dressing for the performance, sought, where it was usually deposited, property to his dressing, for a clean shirt, and not finding it sent to his landlady, who assured him that she had put four there the preceding day; however, as not one could be found, another was sent for and brought to him; when, proceeding to put it on, it was discovered that he had already put on the four! In the search for which so much time had been lost.....Our clever little friend, Leona Cavender, has at last got "in the Polis," which we hope may turn out to be golden chains for her before she is released.....Strange as it may appear, yet we have been credibly informed that nearly all the performers at Daly's Fifth Avenue Theatre have recently commenced action for "Divorce.".....G. Swaine Buckley is "On the Track." Let us hope that he will not be telescoped by any low, cur, motive adversary coming after him. It is difficult to make things dovetail properly as we could wish, but we presume that the keen juggling of our friends may be able to supply all deficiencies.—Ed.).....While many an actor gets "Lost at Sea," or becomes involved in a "Perplexing Predicament," how pleasant it is to know that one, at least, Mr. D. L. Morris, has just come into the possession of "Dollars."..... Lotta, who is doing an engagement at Booth's Theatre, seems to have brought her jigs to the wrong market. [More care is required in the reading of these harmless little squibs than in the composing of them, as their transparency is not at once apparent "to the most fastidious," neither is their point sufficiently penetrating to compel a prompt and proper recognition, at our invaluable readers, no doubt, are aware.—Ed.]..... We shall take it as a great favor if the multitudinous purveyors of our versatile and absorbingly interesting paper will give us their undivided, abstemious attention, while we seek to amuse and otherwise entertain them with a few choice lines culled from the well-filled store-house of our mental pabulum. The subject is grounded on fact, figuratively speaking, and may be read with mingled feelings of delight, disgust, and awe by those who follow us to the end:—

THE CLAMMIST AND HIS VICTIM.

A LAMENTABLE FALL OF LOVE DESERTION AND SUICIDE.

Ground out by "Our Jim" and Assistants.

Come all ye jovial gardeners, come listen to my rhymes,
While I tell tell unto you all a story of late times;
'Tis of a gelliant clam seller, who many a clam has dug,
Until he saved enough of cash to make himself quite snug.

One day as he was peddling his clams along the street,
A young and tender ma—di—en he chanced him for to meet,
She bent upon him one sweet glance, as he his wares did cry,
Which made his heart to palpitate, and hove a heavy sigh.

She was a girl of tender means, and suped it for a livin,
And many a night as *ballet* girl right valiant she has striven;
Likewise she had a lov—er, who soon her home of night
For doing which with other chaps he often got in fights.

This clam merchant did look on her, and she did look on him;
He gazed until his goggle eyes grew weak and likewise dim;
Then up he spoke, and says to her, all in a clam-erous voice:
"Oh, maiden, that there look of yours has made my heart rejoice."

Now she was one of them there girls that knows a thing or two,
And she did see, at one fell swoop, what he did mean to do;
So she replied unto his words: "I'm but a orphan child,
Brought up in Home for Wanderers, which makes me meek and mild."

At this the noble clammist man did mark her for his own,
And kindly he invited her to make his house her home,
With tears a streaming down her cheeks, she said she didn't mind,
And then he jumped up in his cart, while she jumped on behind.

Now, listen to me, pardeners, while I the story tell
Of all the sad disasters which this clammerist soon befell.
For while as she her lager beer at the Dutch Tree sat at rest,
She, at going through his trunks, was doin' her level best.

And while he thought to wreak her ruin, and dosed her bitter beer,
She deftly threw it on the floor, which to him did not appear;
And then into his tumble-er she poured a powder vile,
And thus preserved her innocence, this little orphan child.

The clam man he laid doubled up, and snored like anything.
While she his treasures all packed up and out the house did bring;
There was gold and silver by the peck, and coupon bonds likewise,
Which, while she was a stealin' 'em, in value much did rise.

The lovier he was round in spots, a wallin' for his swag,
To hold the which he thoughtfully had brought with him a bag;
Oh, unprotected man of clams, arise, awake, beware,
That innocent little orphan girl has laid your house all bare.

Now, brave and cheerful pardiniers, when next the clam man woke,
He found unto his hor-ri-er that he was then dead broke—
He seized his cherished oyster knife and drur it in his whizzen,
And now the life which once was his, it hant no longer hissen.

That meek and lowly orphan girl, by this one stroke of horn,
Did come into affluence, for which she long did yurn;
And to this day, my pardiniers, she lives in ermine Five,
Having made a ample for-chi-en by selling clams alive.

MORAL.

Now, all you roving libertines, take warning by this here,
And when you dose her beverage be sure she drinks the beer;
Or else, like this here clam merchant, you'll pick up things that's mild.
Just like this little wanderer, this female orphan child.

City Summary.

THE SAN FRANCISCO MINSTRELS commenced their regular season on Monday evening, Aug. 28th, before a large audience, who warmly greeted the old favorites of the company. The first part comprised fresh selections. C. Templeton sang "Come Again Happy Days," with pleasing effect. J. F. Oberist was heard to advantage in a Tyrolean song. Charley Backus created considerable merriment in a musical version of Bret Harte's "Heathen Chinee." D. S. Wambold was applauded for his singing of "Little Floobster." Billy Birch gave a humorous rendering of "Liza Jane," and William Carter sang "My Dear Old Sunny Home" with evident satisfaction to those present. The second part consisted of the song and dance "Kome and Kiss Me," arranged as a quartet and performed by Bobby Newcomb, Charles Gibbons, J. Cheever and Ed. Kennedy. An old act called "Acting in the Country" succeeded, which gave place to a song and dance written by Bobby Newcomb entitled "When the Bells are Ringing." Then Billy Birch performed "Glances and Times," which was followed by a dancing quartet by Newcomb, Gibbons and the Buffalo Boys, then Signor J. Salcedo performed a *fantasia* on the *cornet-a-piston*, and the performances closed with a burlesque entitled "Nilsson the Black Nightingale," adapted from the farce entitled "Jenny Lind." The attendance during the week was good.

NEWCOMB AND ARLINGTON'S MINSTRELS are announced to commence their second season at their new opera house, in 28th street, this evening, Sept. 4th. The following is a list of the company:—Comedians, William Arlington, Walter Bray, Harry Stanwood, M. Lewis, James Edwards, Sam Price, Lon. A. Meyers and Andy McKee; the sextet of voices, Charles Hudson, J. H. Surridge, D. S. Vernon, tenors; W. Bartlett, baritone; Harry Percy, alto, and O. P. Sweet, basso; the orchestra, Jessee Williams, from Europe, leader and composer; J. H. Gnobel, second violin; M. Mehle, flute and piccolo; L. Mehle, violoncellist; Charles Lippan, clarionet; R. Barton, double bass, and Hammond, cornet. A popular scale of prices has been adopted, as follows:—Orchestra chairs, 75 cts.; parquet circle, 50 cts.; reserved seats in parquet circle, 75 cts.; balcony 35 cts.

J. W. WILDER, circus manager, was in the city during the past week.

M. B. LEAVITT, the manager of Mme. Rentz's Female Minstrels, is in the city. The company will inaugurate the present season at Tonda, Mass., Sept. 13th.

AT LINA EDWIN'S THEATRE, Kelly and Leon's Minstrels have continued to present the "Trip Around the World" in *lieu* of the usual first part. Thomas Sully and Henri Stuart made their first appearance on Aug. 28th, and performed together a double clog dance, which met with favor, and later in the evening Thomas Sully performed a song and dance entitled "Her Pretty Smiling Face." Nearly the same programme will be presented the present week.

CHARLES A. WING does not accompany the Freeman Sisters on their proposed starring tour, but remains in this city to secure attractions for the St. James Theatre, Boston, Mass.

ROBERT MCWADE has written a new play for the Freeman Sisters, entitled the "Land of No 1."

J. K. EMMET and "Fritz, our German Cousin," move along in the even tenor of their way at Niblo's Garden, attracting good sized audiences and giving satisfaction by the performances. Mr. Emmet's character songs and dances and musical performances are the chief features of the evening and are lavishly applauded. There will be no change during the present week.

TONY PASTOR'S has been closed during the past week and will remain so until September 11th, when the regular fall and winter season will be inaugurated.

BRYANT'S MINSTRELS, having concluded a prosperous traveling season and returned to the city, will this evening, September 4th, commence their regular fall and winter season at their Opera House in 23d street, near Sixth avenue. The company will consist of the following new faces and old favorites:—James A. Barney, baritone; R. H. Kholer. Morrisey and Emerson, song an dance; Neise Seymour, J. W. Manning, Billy Manley, J. H. Savori, Charles Karoli, G. H. Weston, Little Mac, Dave Reed, Monroe Dempster, Charles D'Alberte, James Morrison, Martin Seiz, C. H. Foster and Dan Bryant. Mr. J. Simpson, treasurer, will be found at his usual post.

AT WOOD'S MUSEUM Miss Ada Hariand, during the past week, continued to act in the sensational drama entitled "Lola," which attracted good sized audiences. At the usual matinee performance, save the drama, when "Lola" was performed, "Lost in London" has constituted the attraction. Miss Hariand closed her engagement with the performance of Saturday evening, September 2d. During the week, in the museum department, Major Lang, the Bermuda Giant, said to be only eighteen years of age, and measuring eight feet one and a half inches in height, has been on exhibition. The fall and winter season will be inaugurated this evening, Sept. 4th. At the evening performances, Miss Lucille Western, supported by J. A. Herne, will appear in "East Lynne," and at the *matinee* performances the drama recently acted with success at the Bowery Theatre, entitled "Bertha, the Sewing Machine Girl," will be presented.

NO CHANGE has occurred in the programme at Booth's Theatre.

THE FIFTH AVENUE THEATRE is announced to be opened for the fall and winter season Sept. 5th, with a new and original drama, by Augustin Daly, entitled "Divorce."

THE ATTENDANCE HAS CONTINUED LARGE at Wallack's Theatre during the week past. It appears that neither the high temperature which prevailed on several evenings nor the stormy weather which has since set in, has any attractive powers of the Lydia Thompson Burlesque Troupe. "Blue Beard," with its attractive stage setting, aided by the gorgeous costumes of the artists, its sparkling dialogue and pleasing music, will be presented during the present week, which, we believe, will be the last of its performance. The *matinees*, which are given each Saturday, have likewise been largely attended.

THE FALL AND WINTER SEASON at the Bowery Theatre was inaugurated on Monday evening, Aug. 28th, with the production of a sensational drama in three acts entitled "On the Track," in which G. Swaine Buckley, of minstrel fame, acted Harry Romer and assumed some six disguises. In plot it is similar to the many sensation dramas recently produced, the apparent motive being to undo some great wrong already committed or about to be. In this instance a will bequeathing large landed estates to the Romer family has been abstracted and a forged one substituted in its stead, and for the purpose of discovering the original will Harry Romer constitutes himself a detective, which enables him to assume many characters and disguises. As Harry Romer, Mr. Buckley appeared perfectly at ease, and sang a song, "My Soul With one Unbroken Sigh," accompanying himself upon the guitar, which met with the favor of the audience. As Buddy Macarthy, an Irish woman, he was not so successful. Paul Clifford, a London swell, was fairly impersonated. As Peleg Slickens, a Yankee Peddler, he was only fair. In his impersonation of the French Barber, Mons. Bourbon, he was more successful. The best piece of acting he did during the evening was the character of an old man, not mentioned in the bills, a mere sketch however, but his personal identity was entirely concealed. As Cuff, the confraband, he created much merriment. His musical acquirements were liberally displayed during the drama. He performed upon the cornet, melophene, toy cornet, violin, banjo, pine sticks and bones, at different periods during the evening, meeting with much favor and in several instances winning deserved *encores*. The drama was as well acted as possible for such a piece to be. Mr. Marden was quiet and effective as Sydney Chandos, an adventurer who abstracted the original will. E. Barry gave due effect to Philip Romer, who was killed in the first act. Charles Foster played the conventional old man carefully; P. Connolly had a good opportunity to display his pantomimic powers as Neros, a dumb Malay servant; L. W. Harris, a new comer, played Sampson Slink, a jack of all trades, quite effectively, his impersonation being quaint and at times humorous. C. M. Manley evinced care in his impersonation of the brief character of Grabstock, a lawyer. Miss Millie Sackett, as Scaly Bob, a street Arab, acted with much vivacity and naturalness, and deserves much credit for the care and attention she exhibited. The "Strange Man" found an able representative in J. Winter, whose re-appearance after a brief absence from the boards was the signal of a hearty outburst of applause, which testified the favor with which he is there regarded. Mrs. W. G. Jones was, as usual, excellent in her impersonation of Ciara Merriden, the heroine, and displayed much earnestness throughout the drama. Miss Polly Booth as Amy was correct and pleasing, and Mrs. E. B. Holmes as Mrs. Sampson Slink was very effective, her impersonation of that eccentric female being strongly individualized and quite artistically executed. It is in characters of this ilk that she excels, and a large share of the mirth of the evening was due to her efforts. The drama was preceded by the farce of "Is He Jealous?" The attendance throughout the week has been good.

COL. T. A. BROWN, dramatic agent, 718 and 720 Broadway, informs managers, through a card in another column, that he sails for Europe on Oct. 7th, and, as he intends visiting the principal cities in Great Britain, France and Germany, he will be prepared to negotiate engagements with any artists that managers may require from there. Stars and performers desiring to play at the Fifth Avenue Opera House, Pittsburgh, Pa., and the Howard Athenæum, Boston, Mass., can engage through him, and he wants artists and has several who are prepared to accept engagements. For further particulars read the advertisements.

J. S. SCHELL, a scenic artist of repute, has been engaged at the Grand Opera House for the present season, and is now busily engaged upon the scenery of "Eileen Oge," which is to be produced after the expiration of the engagement of Mr. and Mrs. Bandmann.

R. GUNNINGHAM, dramatic agent, 638 Broadway, is prepared to negotiate engagements for Adelme Fontainebleau, gymnast, etc., and Kate Brevoort, with her specialty, the tumbleronicon. See advertisements.

AT THE GRAND OPERA HOUSE, Saturday evening, Sept. 2d, the fall and winter season was inaugurated with the production of Brachvogel's "Narcisse," as arranged for the English stage, by Tom Taylor, expressly for Mr. and Mrs. Bandmann, who commenced a star engagement upon that occasion. The drama, which is in three acts, was performed with the following cast of characters:—

Narcisse.....Mr. Bandmann
Duc de Choiseul..Harry Bridge
Count du Barri..Harry Perkins
M. St. Lambert.....W. H. Pope
Baron de Holbach..Mr. Bruton
Grimm.....C. J. Furse
Diderot.....Mr. Rand
Barjac.....Geo. Johnson
Valet to De Choiseul..D. Barclay
Officer.....Mr. McEvoy
Valet to Pompadour.....J. Jones
Doris Quinault..Mrs. Bandmann
Marquise de Pompadour
.....Marguerita Osborne
Mme. de Barri.....Faith Ossalis
Collette.....Lina Thurber

It had the advantage of a good stage setting and met with a favorable reception from a large audience. Mr. Bandmann, who acted the chief character in this city some eight years since, returns to us much improved, the refining influences of foreign travel, study and observation in good schools of art being marked features in his present acting. His pronunciation of the English language is excellent, and it is only in excited passages, when the utterance is rapid, that even a slight foreign intonation can be detected. His performance of Narcisse is that of variety, impassioned and artistic. His recital of the story of his life to Doris displayed a wonderful depth of feeling, and the emotions arising therefrom were skillfully and naturally portrayed, which drew from the audience most lavish applause. In his last great scene, where he recognizes in the Pompadour his lost wife, he rose to grandeur. Mrs. Bandmann, who under her maiden name—Miss Milly Palmer—has won much repute in the English stage, made her metropolitan *debut* as Doris Quinault. She possesses both youth and beauty, a sympathetic manner, and her style of acting is simple, natural and unaffected. Although suffering in no little degree from nervousness, she gave evidence of much experience and achieved a complete success, which was alone due to her sterling merits as an artist. Miss Henrietta Osborne acted the Pompadour intelligently and with much power, and costumed the character with much taste. Miss Edith Challis, as Marquise d'Epinay, was satisfactory, and of the balance of the cast little need be said. Due allowance must be made for the bringing together of a strange company upon the opening night of a season, and we prefer to speak of their respective merits after they have performed together for a few nights. A comedy dunsity entitled "The Happy Pair," in which Mr. Bandmann played Mr. Honeyton, and Mrs. Bandmann Mrs. Honeyton, concluded the performances. It was a charming bit of comedy acting. During the evening an excellent orchestra, under the direction of Mr. H. Tissington, discoursed popular selections of music. This evening a new drama by T. C. De Leon, called "Jasper," founded upon the fragmentary novel of the "Mystery of Edwin Drood," will be acted for the first time, with Mr. and Mrs. Bandmann in leading *roles*, and Mr. Mark Smith, who will be added to the company, in the *role* of Durdies. Messrs. Baker and Cole are to be congratulated upon the auspicious commencement of their season.

MESSRS. RIGGS AND FITZGERALD, dramatic agents, 681 Broadway, inform variety stars, through an advertisement, that they have a circuit of theatres and can supply them with engagements.

Dramatic.

THEATRICAL ADVICES from Chicago, Ill., are sent us up to date of Sept. 1st, by our regular correspondent, who says: "The regular dramatic season has at last commenced, and as our several managers are alike popular, lively times may be imagined ere the season closes. The company at Col. Woods' Museum, though hardly strong enough to hope to compete with their rival companies, are sailing along nobly, and have thus far drawn a succession of good houses. The new sensational piece written for J. K. Mortimer by Chas. Newton, Esq., entitled 'Cast Upon the World,' was presented for the first time on any stage at the Museum on Aug. 24th, to a well filled auditorium, and it was enthusiastically received. To give a correct plot would be an impossibility. It was not placed upon the stage in a manner tending to increase the interest in it, and certainly not particularly creditable to the management. Of the acting of the principal members of the company but little can be said, as there is so little scope for acting. Mr. Mortimer's personation of the adventurer, Nat Craven, was really as fine an one as could be desired. Sampson Klopp was splendidly enacted by Mr. Langrishe, while the parts of Scanty and Morny were equally well played by C. H. Wilson and J. M. Martin. Miss Freeman had an excellent opportunity for displaying her ranting powers in the *role* of Ella Thorncyke, and she succeeded admirably. Miss Lizzie Mahon looked and dressed prettily, but assumed an unimportant *role*. Emma Maddern was acceptable, and upon the whole 'Cast Upon the World' will be withdrawn on the 2d inst. 'John Bull' will be brought out on the following Monday evening.....According to announcement, Hooley's Opera House was converted into a regular dramatic temple on August 28th, with "The Hunchback" as the opening play. The house has undergone a thorough renovation since the departure of the Rankin troupe, and we can safely say that for beauty and comfort this theatre has but few equals. It has been newly carpeted in several new and handsome scenes have been painted by Richard Smith; new prosceniums, and a beautiful drop curtain by R. A. Haily, and a general frescoing has taken place. The genial John Muir has the box office in charge. The performance commenced with a very appropriate opening address, delivered by Miss Augusta Dargon in a feeling manner. The orchestra, under the leadership of Prof. Corna, then gave a superb rendition of the "Semiramis," which was deservedly applauded, after which the curtain rang up and the play proceeded. The exacting *role* of Master Walter fell to the hands of Frank Lawlor, and a more pleasing performance has seldom been witnessed in Chicago. His reading is unexceptionable, and, combined with a rich, deep and well modulated voice, and a superior stage presence, he succeeded at once in creating a fine impression. Barring a perceptible nervousness, Mr. Fitzpatrick gave to Sir Thomas Clifford a careful rendition. J. C. Morrison's portrayal of Modus was as natural and life-like as the part demands. The same may be said of C. Stanley's Lord Tinsel. M. C. Daly, with his portly figure, expressive face, and happy make up of Paddington, made a bit of comedy out of what could be desired. Miss Dargon's personation of Julia was inclined to be too cold and unsympathetic, but her admirable costuming and superior elocution more than counterbalanced her acting. Miss Fanny Burt's Helen was particularly happy and agreeable. Her love scene with Walter was especially charming. The supernumeraries were evenly rendered. 'The Two Thorns' will be presented on the 4th.....Tuesday evening witnessed the inaugural on of McVicker's new theatre, which proved a noticeable event long to be remembered by the patrons of the refined drama in Chicago. As soon as the doors were thrown open, the crowd commenced pouring in, and long before the curtain rose on the first act every seat was filled, and even standing room was not to be found. The theatre is gorgeous and complete in every respect; everything that money and brains could do having been done in its erection and fitting up. To Wallace Hume, the architect, belongs unbounded credit for his part of the work. The handsome pictorial drop curtain is from the pencil of J. H. Rogers, as is the greater part of the scenery, all of which rendered great assistance to the artistic effect and appearance of the play last, the opening bill consisted of the comedy of 'Extremes,' with J. H. McVicker, Joseph Wheelock, Sidney Smith, H. L. Bascomb, J. Everham, E. Wright, The Misses Isadore Cameron, Adele Palmer, Mrs. Clara Stoneall, and Mrs. E. T. Stetson in the leading *roles*. Miss Cameron, the leading lady, made a fine impression. Her acting was in keeping with the excellence of the piece, she having the advantages of a handsome face, fine figure, elegant, lady-like presence, graceful carriage and an admirable style in dress. Mrs. Stoneall, of course, appeared to her usual advantage. Mrs. Stetson and Miss Palmer acquitted themselves in the most creditable manner. Mr. McVicker's Mayberry was a thoroughly genial and happy personation. We cannot see how he can improve upon it in the stage. Mr. Wheelock drew an admirable rendition to Edward Erlain. His reception, as well as Mr. McVicker's, was almost an ovation, lasting some minutes. Mr. Bascomb made a decided hit in the part of Smiley, and played the same in a style deserving the highest commendation. The other principal characters were generally well rendered. The play was repeated the following evening, with an entire change of cast, with the exception of Miss Cameron. The prominent characters were taken by Messrs. Rainford, W. H. Powers, Sam Myers, W. J. Hurley, J. W. Fox, M. J. Pendleton, F. Woodhull and J. W. Johnston, the Misses Cameron, Carrie Jamison, Hattie McKee and Mrs. Mary Myers. In some respects the second performance was even better than the first, while in others it was not. Mr. Powers succeeded in creating a favorable impression by giving his part a praiseworthy rendition. 'Extremes' will probably hold the boards another week. Business has been excellent thus far."

MANAGERS desiring to produce "Palac," a new play by Fred Marsden, are referred to his card elsewhere.

THE INAUGURAL PERFORMANCE of the season was given at the Pittsburgh, Pa., Opera House on August 26th, concerning which our correspondent, who wrote on Sept. 1st, says:—"Sam" constituted the attraction, with F. S. Chanfrau in the title *role*. The cast of the piece and the characters was as follows:—General Roslyn, John Ellsler; Sir Edward Ashton, John Swinburn; Billy Crocket, J. Newton Gotthold; Dick, J. Edwin Irving; Hon. George Cropley, Milton Noble; Laura Roslyn, Mrs. Effie Ellsler; Lady Cropley, Isabella Phillips; Euphemia Roslyn, Georgie Dickson; and Emily Cropley, Mary Rickords. A large audience was in attendance, and the piece was presented in the best style possible now the scenery had been expressly prepared for the play. A garden scene and an ornamental fountain attracted a great deal of attention. Nearly all of those embraced in the cast acquitted themselves with credit. Chanfrau's quiet, easy and natural acting evoked frequent marks of approbation. The General Roslyn of John Ellsler was a vigorous and correct representation. J. Newton Gotthold acted Billy Crocket very effectively. The Sir Edward of John Swinburn was an acceptable rendition, and J. Edwin Irving as Dick was clever. Mrs. Effie Ellsler invested the character of Laura Roslyn with vivacity and a fair degree of naturalness. Georgie Dickson acted Euphemia Roslyn with good effect. If this lady would read less rapidly and more distinctly, she would greatly enhance her popularity. The orchestra at this establishment has been materially augmented, and it is now quite complete. There has been no change of bill since the opening night, and the attendance towards the latter part of the week has been poor. On the 1st inst. 'The Ticket of Leave Man' and 'Jerry Clip' will be produced for Mr. Chanfrau's benefit. Mr. Chanfrau remains next week.....'Across the Continent' was put on the stage of the Fifth Avenue Opera House on August 28th, and it has had a week's successful run. The first night it was presented the applicants for admission could not all be accommodated, and the house has been crowded every night. Oliver Doud Byron's delineation of Joe Ferris is a praiseworthy effort, being energetic, earnest and effective. Mr. Melnit, as John Addertly, Mr. Hotto as Denis O'Dwyer, and Mrs. Fred. Meek as Agnes Constant and Louise Goodwin were all meritorious impersonations. The entire cast did justice to their respective *roles*. The play was handsomely mounted, some three or four entirely new scenes having been gotten up expressly for it. Little Nell next week in the play of 'Katy Did.' Her engagement is for ten nights and one *matinee*. John Collins succeeds Little Nell."

PALMER AND CO'S OPERATIC AND COMEDY COMBINATION, a list of which we published in a past issue, performed during the past week in Columbus, O., and are billed to perform in Indianapolis, Ind., the present week.

MR. AND MRS. W. CHRISTIE MILLER have been re-engaged with T. J. Henderson's traveling dramatic company for 1871-2, the former for juveniles and the latter for *soubrettes*.

OF BOSTON THEATRICALS, in the absence of our usual letter, we append the following brief items:—The Globe is announced to open for the season this evening, Sept. 4th, with the following artists in the "Visitms" and "Forty Winks":—John E. Owens, Geo. C. Boniface, W. E. Sheridan, J. B. Fuller, Colin Stuart, H. F. Daly, W. F. Owen, E. B. Holmes, J. G. Peaks, Miss Josie Orton, Mrs. Thos. Barry, Mrs. A. Hind, Miss Ada Gilman, Mrs. T. M. Hunter and Mrs. L. E. Seymour.....At the Museum, the week began with "Caught in the Toils," the only change in the cast from last season being Mr. Blaisdell in the character of Raymond, instead of Mr. Crisp. It was performed two evenings with the farce of "Turn Him Out." "Central Park" had two representations, as did "Old Heads and Young Hearts," and "Wild Oats" one. For the present week, "My Uncle's Will" and "Saben in the Wood," are announced for three nights.....At the Boston Theatre, D. L. Morris acted in "Dollars" and for the present week, Joseph Murphy is announced to appear in "Help."

SUICIDE OF WALTER MONTGOMERY.—From over the sea a cable telegram brings the following distressing intelligence:—

LONDON, Sept. 2, 1871.

Walter Montgomery, the well-known actor, who had recently returned from a profess onal visit to the United States, committed suicide last night by shooting himself with a revolver. Mr. Montgomery was married on the Wednesday previous to an American Lady.

The vagueness of the telegram, however, leaves a doubt in the mind of the reader that possibly it may not be true. We would naturally suppose that some details of the affair, and especially the name of the lady whom he had wedded, would have been given, as Mr. Montgomery was well known in New York, Boston, California and Australia. He had just recently concluded a brief season of management at the Gaiety Theatre, London, Eng., where he had acted the leading *roles* in the "higher drama." The season was not pecuniarily successful and his style of acting seemed to displease the critics. Many persons who have known him intimately think they have detected symptoms of insanity in his actions, and we are of the opinion, if the above intelligence be true, that the act was committed while laboring under temporary aberration of mind, superinduced by the intense mental labor of acting heav

bill the following here. The company is first class in every respect.....The Majilton, Charles, Frank and Marie, made their first appearance at the Talbridge Theatre on August 28th, and the most vociferous applause has been accorded them every night. Ed. Banker's changes, Ned Mason's transitions, Harry Stanwood's banjo manipulations, Joe Lang's negroisms, Johnny Queen's songs and dances, Millie Ione's vocal selections, and Mlle. Leah's character dances, all go to make up a varied and pleasing programme. Business has been uniformly good, notwithstanding the heavy counter attractions. Mlle. Venturoli, Miss Eva Costello, Fred. Costello, and Johnson and Powers will be the new people next week. The Majiltons and nearly all of the old favorites will be retained. So wrote our correspondent on Sept. 1st.

WILD'S OPERA HOUSE, SYRACUSE, N. Y., was re-opened on Monday, Aug. 28th, to a crowded house, and business has been excellent during the week. Mr. Robert V. Ferguson, the able stage manager of last season, opened the entertainment with a capital introductory speech in behalf of the manager. The opening bill was an excellent one, and passed off smoothly, excepting the non-appearance of Mr. G. W. Jester, whose name was on the programme, he having been prevented, by an accident, from appearing until Tuesday evening. Andy McKee, N. B. Skinner, and Add Weaver and son were the chief features on the opening night, and each were well received in their several acts. Miss Carrie Avery, a vocalist of talent, made her first appearance here on Monday night, and made a capital hit. She is a very pretty girl, and sings and acts well. Miss Nellie Whitney, in song and dance, also did well, and was re-called. In all, the opening of this house was a decided success and betokens a successful season. James Gaynor, banjoist, and Maggie Nichols, slack wire performer, are announced for Monday, Sept. 4th. So wrote our correspondent on Sept. 2d.

THE CAPITOL THEATRE, Albany, N. Y., which was announced to open on August 28th, did not until the 29th, owing to some difficulty with the orchestra. The theatre was well filled on the opening night, although it was raining quite hard. The performance commenced with "Sarah's Young Man," with W. T. Melville, Joe. M. Sloan, George Lesrock, the Misses Belle Leigh, Charlene Weidman and Louie Clifton in the cast. This was followed by Hugh Haggerty in Dutch songs and dances; the Guy Brothers, Ethiopian artists; Miss Linda De Rhona, skipping rope dancer; Miss Jennie Benson, in her champion clog dance; Moe Brothers in skating scenes, *La petite* Benson in a song and dance, John Keller as the "Happy Old Man," Buckley Brothers in instrumental act, Milburn in his protean sketches, the whole concluding with the "White Boys of Ireland." Business has been very good the past week. On the 4th, Frank Dillon, the London comique; Little Vic, child actress; Parkhurst and Fields, and Maggie McDonald, the Scotch vocalist, will make their appearance. So wrote our correspondent on September 2d.

AT THE VARIETIES, Peoria, Ill., nothing has interrupted the increasing business. Two old faces have been engaged, viz., Mr. J. Clark Wells, as stage manager, and Mr. John Buckitt, tamboo and song and dance. Mr. Buckitt is the recipient of a benefit on August 29th, when Mr. Chas. Collins, an old professional, and a good comedian, volunteered. Mr. Thompson has severed his connection with the Varieties, and S. Clark Wells has been installed in his stead. Miss Lena Clark, vocalist and *danseuse*, and Miss Sadie Rogers, songstress and jig dancer, have been engaged, and will make their first appearance on Monday, 4th inst. So wrote our correspondent on September 1st.

AT THE METROPOLITAN THEATRE, Indianapolis, Ind., writes our correspondent, under date of Sept. 1st, crowded houses are the rule. W. Burton and Minnie Rainforth are excellent in their double lightning Zouave drill; Ned Reed is again engaged; Harry and Fanny Wood are the stock favorites; Zella Renard is the new terpsichorean *artiste*; Ari Holston sings and dances in an original manner, and Tom Williams is as comical as ever. The entertainments conclude with Darrell's Diorama of England, Ireland and Scotland.

DAN CARR has opened a variety show at Manistee, Mich., with the following Company:—Johnny Carr, Annie Worrell, principal performers; Johnny Taylor, clog dancer; the Weston Brothers, song and dance; and Dan Carr and novice in a pugilistic display.

AT JOE ELLIOTT'S THEATRE COMIQUE, Bay City, Mich., the Misses Maude Hamilton, Kathleen O'Neil, Lottie Hamilton, Lizzie Shelton, Annie Sherwood, Lucy Wills, and Messrs. Charley Adams, Billy Hassan, Harry Filkins, and Gus. Clarke were the chief performers of the past week.

AT SHELBY'S COMIQUE, Buffalo, N. Y., during the past week, Dan Shelby appeared in the minstrel scene, and afterwards in a sketch entitled, "Clubs are Trumps." Charles and Emma Costello, gymnasts; Lucy Adams, serio-comic; Clara Day, dancer; and George Hall, comedian, who has assumed the stage management, were among the chief features. Mlle. Mahretta and Leon Whettony are announced for the present week.

THE KERNAN BROTHERS, of the Opera House, Baltimore, Md., has engaged Harry Brown, the London comique, for a period of ten months. He made his first appearance in America at that house. The principal attractions during the past week were a new pantomime by Mons. Szollosy called "The Pink Devil." Matt Wheeler, Minnie Gray and Lilly Howard closed there on Sept. 2d. Tim Morris, Frank Christy, Millie Young, Belle Graham, Fanny May, Kate Barrown, Lizzie Louise, Mazora Arnold, Mlle. Carolista, Miller Beall, Macklin and Wilson still remain in the company.

AT THE HOWARD ATHENÆUM, Boston, Mass., the following performers are announced for the present week:—The Zittella Troupe; Prof. J. L. Davis and his troupe of performing dogs; the American star comique, Mr. Gus Williams; also, first appearance of Eph Horn, John Mulligan, Ethiopian delineators; the champion roller skaters, Kynock and Smith; the celebrated duet vocalists, Mr. James Collins and Miss Martha Wren, and the lady jig and song and dance artist, Miss Alice Somers; the performances to conclude with Lauri's popular pantomime "Tot; or, The Rendezvous."..... At the St. James, first appearance of the burlesque artist, "The Lemonwell;" Jester, "The Man with the Talking Hand;" Cool Burgess, Sydney Franks, Emma Carlton, Fedanito, the ceiling walker; Francesca Sisters, *premier danseuses*, and Bryan O'Lynn, Irish comique, vocalist and dancer, are announced.

THE OLYMPIC THEATRE, Chicago, Ill., is giving an unexceptionable performance. The new faces last week were Otto Barbank, whose reception was terrific, Eunice Dunlap, and Nellie Clifford. Bowman and Harris, and Viola Clifton, as well as *la belle* Helene, continue to meet with well merited favor. So reports our regular correspondent.

Negro Minstrelsy.

THE ARCH STREET OPERA HOUSE, Philadelphia, on the evening of the 28th ult., was—to use a theatrical expression—crowned to the ceiling to witness the re-appearance of Simmons & Slocum's Minstrels after their return from a lengthy western tour. A capital first part was given, Harry Norman and John Crosher singing with admirable feeling and expression the ballads of "Under the Snow" and "Don't be Angry with Me, Darling," and Lew Simmons singing "Susan Jane" with irresistible humor. Seventeen appeared in the first part, with Lew Simmons and Billy Sweetnam on the ends, and E. N. Slocum as interlocutor. "Carry the news to Mary" formed a fitting finale to the first part. In the olio, W. Welch and J. Rice danced "She's so Fair," and their neat and finished style gained them several *encores*. A new sketch, by E. N. Slocum, entitled "Re-united," served to introduce the comedian Harry Lehr—a recent and desirable accession to this company—and the ovation of applause that he received must have been highly flattering to him. Pete Lee, who made his first appearance before a Philadelphia audience in "Ebony Rhymes," was favorably received, his rather acrobatic movements being the cause of considerable merriment. J. Garatazue and Didier Fernet then made a first appearance in a very well executed cornet duet. The laughable act of "Sublime and Ridiculous," and the burlesque of "Coming from Pohn Breeze," concluded a very enjoyable entertainment. The magnificent terrace scene used in the first part reflects the highest credit upon the artist, Robert Fraser, the well know pantomimist. Business was very good during the opening week. Mr. J. C. Lacey, the tenor, who was advertised to appear with this company, did not make his appearance, and it is reported that he has joined Dixey & Moran's Minstrels.

SAM SANFORD, at his comfortably fitted up Second Street Opera House, Philadelphia, succeeded in attracting a very respectable class of the inhabitants of the northeastern section of that city to witness his performances during the week terminating Sept. 2d. The principal features of the programme was the first part, in which Sam Sanford and his minstrel troupe appeared, followed by an olio, including the Misses Ella and Sarah in their songs and dances; James W. Sanford, in grotesque dances, and the entire performance concluding with the burlesque of "The Masked Ball." Master Julian Reed has been added to the company.

A SCOUNDREL calling himself E. L. Townsend has been victimizing the people of Altoona and Johnstown, Pa., while claiming to be the agent of Manning's Minstrels.

THE GEORGIA MINSTRELS, who will shortly commence their season, comprise the following:—George Skillings, leader of orchestra; John Wilson, leader of band; Charles Hicks, Bob Height, Dick Weaver, Banks and Kersands, also, T. Drewette; a *prima donna*, who will appear in the "Princess of Trebizonde" burlesque. They are billed for one night at Shenandoah, Pa., Sept. 8th.

HART, RYMAN & BARNEY'S MINSTRELS are billed to perform in Richmond, Ind., September 9th, and one week in Louisville, Ky., at Weisiger Hall, commencing the 11th.

WHITMORE AND CLARKE'S MINSTRELS are billed ahead as follows:—Wallingford, Vt., Sept. 5th.; East Dorset, 6th; Manchester, 7th; Arlington, 8th; North Bennington, 9th; Jacksonville, 11th; Wilmington, 12th; Williamsville, 13th; New Fane, 14th; and Putney, 15th.

THE NEW ORLEANS MINSTRELS, under the management of A. W. Hall & Co., performed at Clinton, Iowa, during the entire past week, and are billed to perform one week at Ottawa, Ill., commencing the 4th. The company consists of the Misses Annie Clarke, Agnes Stanley, Annie Williams, Messrs. Ned Turner, John H. Clarke, W. Wentworth and Joe Gorton's silver cornet band of fifteen pieces.

MESSRS. BURT & RIDGWAY are organizing a first class minstrel troupe and will start from Indianapolis, Ind., on October 9th, with Geo. B. Hudson as advance agent.

DUPREZ AND BENEDICT'S MINSTRELS performed in Jackson, Mich., August 28th.

CAL WAGNER'S MINSTRELS performed in Jackson, Mich., Sept. 2d, and are billed to be at Kalamazoo on the 5th.

UNSWORTH'S MINSTRELS performed at Paterson, N. J., Sept. 2d, and are billed ahead as follows: Harlem, 4th; Hartford, 5th; Bridgeport, 6th; Newburg, 7th, and Poughkeepsie, 8th.

HARRY ROBINSON, comedian, formerly of Cal Wagner's Minstrel Troupe, has been rusticating at Syracuse, N. Y. He will probably appear at Wild's Opera House soon.

THE DEARBORN MINSTRELS, Chicago, Ill., have had good houses, and this week's bill, says our correspondent, writing on Sept. 1st, "is a decided improvement over that of last week. The first part introduces J. W. Lamont, E. Markham and C. S. Fredericks in new ballads, which are rendered in the best possible style. Ben Cotton and Luke Schoolcraft keep the audience in the happiest humor with a fresh budget of jokes and funny remarks. The second part consists of the usual number of negro acts and sketches, which are made enjoyable through the efforts of Cotton, Schoolcraft, Harry Talbot, J. H. Budworth, Kent and Kemble. Peasley and Fitzgerald having proved a partial failure, their services were dispensed with after Monday night's performance.....Billy Manning is in the city, busily engaged in organizing his company for the road."

Circus.

WE HAVE BEEN REQUESTED to deny the report recently published in one of the papers that Ben Stone and John H. Murray, the managers of Stone & Murray's Circus, contemplate dissolving partnership. The best of feeling exists between them, both as regards business and social intercourse.

JOHN FOSTER, clown, and family, with Emma Arilla, principal child rider, &c., at present traveling with Van Amburgh's menagerie and circus, can be engaged after November 10th. Address as per advertisement.

L. B. LENT'S NEW YORK CIRCUS opens for four days in Cincinnati, on the Buckeye Base Ball grounds, commencing Monday, September 4th. On the 5th the canvas was to have been pitched in Covington, Ky.

HERWOOD'S PALACE PAVILION SHOW performed in Richmond, Vt., September 1st.

A. W. DAVIS advertises for a concert privilege with a circus going south.

STONE & MURRAY'S CIRCUS performed in Keene, N. H., on Aug. 9th, and a local paper notices some of the performers as follows:—

"Many new faces and acts appear this year. Mlle. Rosina, a dashing equestrienne from Europe, delights with her masterly manner, or ride saddle act. Her beautiful pairety, Despmar, is spoken of as a wonder. The Cooke Brothers' miraculous juggling act on horseback receives the highest praise."

BARNUM'S MUSEUM, CIRCUS AND MENAGERIE is billed to be exhibited at Syracuse, N. Y., Sept. 6th and 7th; Auburn, 8th; Moravia, 9th; Cortland, 11th; Ithaca, 12th; Farmersville, 13th; Seneca Falls, 14th; Clyde, 15th, and Palmyra 16th. On the 2d inst., as the company were leaving Rome, the horses attached to a carriage containing T. J. Hindley, of the band, and Mlle. Pauline, his wife, a graceful rider, took fright and ran away, upsetting the carriage and seriously injuring them both. The lady was taken to Stanwix Hall and her physicians fear she cannot survive her injuries.

J. E. WARNER'S PACIFIC CIRCUS AND MENAGERIE is billed to be exhibited at Jackson, Mich., September 7th.

STONE & MURRAY'S CIRCUS is billed to perform at Hoboken, N. J., September 8th.

LENT'S NEW YORK CIRCUS performed at Indianapolis, Ind., August 28th.

Miscellaneous.

SHOEMAKER'S OPERA HOUSE, Shenandoah, Pa., is advertised to let. It will seat eight hundred persons.

MAGIC LANTERNS, stereopticons, etc., can be had of W. M. McAllister, who advertises.

ALEX. CALHOUN, proprietor of the Calhoun Printing Works, Hartford, Conn., inserts a business notice on another page, to which we refer managers and others. He states that he has increased facilities for producing work and is prepared to supply streamers, posters, programmes, etc., as promptly and cheaply as any house in the trade.

F. A. SEARLE, printer, Boston, Mass., calls the attention of managers to a new feature in the typographical art, "Searle's Auroral Posters," through an advertisement elsewhere in this paper; and he is prepared to supply streamers and bills of the same design and all other kinds of show printing at moderate prices.

DOC SMITH, agent of Heywood's Palace Pavilion show, can be addressed as per advertisement.

A FIRST CLASS advance agent is advertised for in another column by a person who will pay a liberal salary.

HENRY MILLARD advertises that he can be engaged as agent with a traveling troupe.

THE TALKING HOG, Romeo, with a painting and cage, is for sale. See the proprietor's address elsewhere.

SKINNER HALL, Grand Falls, N. Y., can be rented through the proprietor, whose card is in another column. It will seat eight hundred persons and has a rostrum, with dressing rooms and scenery.

C. H. HAWKINS advertises that he is prepared to fit up gymnasiums and supply gymnastic apparatus.

THE ACADEMY OF MUSIC, Auburn, N. Y., can be rented through the proprietors, whose card is in another column. It will seat about one thousand persons and is complete in all its appointments.

MRS. LANDER will give a limited number of readings late in October and early in November under the auspices of the Western Lyceum Bureau under the management of O. Sackett.

THEODORE M. D. PRICE gave an exhibition of high wire walking at Muncie, Ind., September 3d.

THE SECOND GREAT INDUSTRIAL EXPOSITION OF Cincinnati, commences Sept. 6th. The exposition will occupy eight immense halls, connected together, called the Mechanical, Power, Horticultural, Fine Art, Ladies,' Textile, Agricultural and Miscellaneous halls. The ground covered by these buildings embraces nearly four acres. The exhibitors will have 143,000 square feet of floor space, and 30,000 square feet of wall space. There will be fountains, artificial waterfall, lake, &c.

THE ATLANTIC AND PACIFIC CIRCUS is billed ahead as follows:—Falls City, Neb., Sept. 6th; Hiawatha, Kansas, 7th; Seneca, 8th; Mayville, 11th; Waterville, 12th; Clay Centre, 13th; Junction City, 14th; Empire, 15th; Burlington, 16th; Neosho Falls, 18th; Humboldt, 19th; Fort Scott, 20th and 21st; Girard, 22d; Columbus, 23d; Baxter Springs, 25th, and Fort Gibson, Indian Nation, 26th.

CHARLES PARKER, clown and ballad singer, connected with P. T. Barnum's Museum, Circus and Menagerie, committed suicide recently at Schenectady, N. Y. His body, in an advanced state of decomposition, was discovered in a piece of woods near that town on Aug. 29th, the throat being cut from ear to ear. It is supposed that the suicide took place on the 25th, as the show exhibited there on that day.

THE NEW YORK CIRCUS is billed to perform at Tamaqua, September 7th; Mahanoy City, 8th; Ringtown, 9th; Shenandoah, 11th; Girardville, 12th.

CHARLES COVELLI joined John Myers at Warren, Pa., September 1st, to manage his balloon business. They will have some thirty balloons to make ascensions at the various fairs.

FAIRS.—A list of the various state, district and county fairs will be found upon an outside page.

LAKE'S HIPPO OLYMPIAD is billed to perform in Kansas City, Mo., September 9th.

BANCROFT HALL, Emporia, Kansas, has a stage, with dressing rooms and scenery, and will seat seven hundred persons. Parties desiring to rent the hall will find the proprietor's card elsewhere.

KLEIN'S OPERA HOUSE, Scranton Pa., can be rented through the agent, whose address is in another column. It has a stage, with scenery, dressing rooms, &c.

D. K. PRESCOTT advertises for sale a side show furnished with a large number of attractions.

PROF. DEHUE met with a severe accident at Columbus, O., on August 31st. He was announced to walk a high rope stretched from the roof of the Opera House to a building on the opposite side of the street. He had not gone half the distance when he sat down upon the rope and began to address the crowd. He spoke about ten minutes, then arose and was about to make a step forward, when the rope parted with a jerk, and the unfortunate man whirled over and over and fell with a heavy thud upon the ground. Over a thousand people had gathered to witness the scene. The wounded man was picked up and carried to a drug store, where it was found that his leg was broken, his body bruised and severe cuts on the head. A physician was immediately in attendance and it is said that the man will recover from his very severe injuries.

SOL. SMITH RUSSELL gave comic lectures during the past week at Tecumseh, Mich., Manchester, Hastings and Lansing.

MCGILL AND STRONG'S MIRROR OF IRELAND was exhibited at Hartford, Conn., Aug. 31st, Sept. 1st and 2d.

O. C. BARNARD has opened a Western Lyceum Bureau at Dayton, O.

HEATH, DAVIS & CO. advertise that they will sell at public auction in Cincinnati, O., on Sept. 15th, a panorama of "Uncle Tom's Cabin."

FLANFRED & HOYT, scenic artists, whose card is in another column, are prepared to furnish scenery for halls, &c.

THE DUNCAN BROS, *trapeze* performers, &c., advertise that they can be engaged.

FOREIGN SHOW NEWS.

Dramatic.

CONCERNING THINGS THEATRICAL and other amusements in London, Eng., the provinces and elsewhere, our advices, which are up to Aug. 30th, are quite meagre. The Prince of Wales visited the theatres August 11th..... The Philharmonic closed August 12th..... At the Gaiety, Walter Montgomery had acted in "Louis XI" and "As You Like It;" in the latter Miss Ada Cavendish played Rosalind; both artists were highly praised for their efforts. "A New Way to Pay Old Debts" was acted on the 12th. On the 15th Mr. Montgomery played Meg Merrilies in a portion of "Guy Mannering," and on the 19th the season was brought to a close on account of the extreme heat, "Richard III" being acted on that night..... At the Queens, the last two weeks of "Joan of Arc" and of Mr. and Mrs. Rousby were announced to commence August 20th..... The Haymarket Theatre, owing to the severe heat which prevailed, closed the doors on Aug. 18th, but was announced to re-open on Sept. 11th, when Mr. Sothern would re-appear in a round of favorite characters..... The Vaudeville closed Aug. 19th..... The Olympic closed on the 19th..... No change had occurred nor was any announced at any of the other theatres..... With regard to the future of the St. James Theatre, Mrs. John Wood sends the following card to the principal London journals:—

Since numerous incorrect and unauthorized paragraphs upon the subject are floating about the press, will you kindly permit me to state that this theatre will re-open, under my own management, with the Royal National (English) Opera, on Sept. 30th, that Miss Rose Hersee, now on her way from America, will make her *rentree* here on that date, and that I have entered into no arrangements which can at all affect this programme. Yours, truly,
August 29th. MRS. JOHN WOOD.

.....The performance of the new piece at the Alhambra is thus spoken of by the *Sunday Times*:—"About the Battle of Dorking,' by Mr. Arthur Sketchley and Mr. J. C. Burnand, the wild piece of absurdity, though scarcely worthy of the talents of these two great humorists. At the rising of the curtain the battle of Dorking is supposed to have been fought and won by the invaders; Dorking, the audience are required to believe for the purposes of the piece, being a seaport town. Cheeks, the marine, has not been heard of since the battle, and is generally supposed to have been killed in action. By reason of the sudden demise of his grandmother, Cheeks has become entitled to considerable property. His false friend, Sergeant Blower, of the police force, therefore determines to personate the missing man, and claim his inheritance. Blower is additionally moved to suppress his own identity in that he has unconsciously himself so terrified a negro that he is liable to punishment at the hands of the Scotland Yard authorities. At one time, of course, Cheeks presents himself. But, as he has preserved his life and escaped the dangers of the field by deserting in the direction of the enemy, he is afraid of asserting his identity and his rights. He is constrained to submit to Blower's claim to be Cheeks, the latter himself claims to be Blower, the claimants having previously cross-examined each other after the peculiar manner of the police in a French trial. At the finish Blower and Cheeks resume their own personality, and the play concludes with an intimation that no battle having been fought at Dorking, no invasion whatever has taken place. The slight skit was fairly acted by Mr. J. Dewar and Mr. F. W. Irish, but it cannot be deemed a successful effort."

THE PRINCE OF WALES THEATRE, Glasgow, Scotland, opened for the season on August 19th.

THE THEATRE ROYAL, Great Grimsby, Eng., was re-opened for the season on August 8th, being the seventh, under the management of W. Raymond. The company includes the following:—Messrs. W. Tullock, Wish Rogerson, W. Harmer, W. Forrester, Thos. Donovan, Ben Schofield, H. F. Lloyd, Wilford Henry, J. B. Haserd; Miss R. Leighton, Miss Ellen Bellair, Miss C. Davenport, Mrs. H. F. Lloyd, Miss Jessie St. Clair, Mrs. W. Harmer, Miss Kate Raymond, Mrs. Polly Herring and Miss Polly Cole. Mr. W. Levett, musical director; Mr. W. Tullock, stage-manager; and Mr. Haserd, scenic artist. "Life in the Far West" and "The Cabin Boy" were the opening pieces.

MISS CATHERINE LUCETTA and Morton Price were managing a brief season at Leeds, Eng.

A SALE OF THEATRICAL SCENERY by public auction was had on August 8th, in London, Eng., which attracted only a scanty gathering. The principal lot was the "breaking house" scene used in "Hongo et Nita," which realized only 55 shillings.

MISS EDITH HEADFORD, while playing an engagement at the Queens' Theatre, Dublin, Ireland, met with an accident which will probably prevent her appearing in public for some time. While descending some stone steps she slipped and fell, dislocating her ankle in two places, and severely straining the ligaments of her foot. After the limb was set inflammation set in.

THE THEATRE ROYAL, Cambridge, Eng., re-opened for the season on August 14th, under the management of W. E. Clifton. Among the company engaged are Miss Alice Seaman, Mrs. and Miss Hastings, Miss Carrie Lee, Fred. Hughes and Mr. Comeaux.

THE THEATRE ROYAL, Great Yarmouth, Eng., was opened after a short recess on August 7th, under the management of Mrs. C. A. Clarke. The company consist of Mr. Maples, Mr. F. H. Stanley, Mr. A. Virtue, Mr. M. Hastings, Mr. W. Henry, Mr. West, Mr. Wolfy, Mr. Byford, Mr. Shenson, Mr. F. Clarke, Mrs. C. A. Clarke, Miss Clara Johnstone, Miss Fanny Robinson, Miss S. Lee and Miss Nellie Lee. The interesting drama entitled "The Warwick Man" had been produced, with new scenery by Mr. A. Clarke, and mechanical effects by Mr. Carl.

MR. SEPH DEANE and a combination company acted at Haddenfield, Eng., August 3d, 4th and 5th. Mr. Sklet Barry in "Handy Andy," and "Barney the Baron" supplemented the performances.

CHARLES DILLON and a London company performed at Sunderland, Eng., August 7th and 8th.

MISS NATHALIE commenced a six nights' engagement at Bristol, Eng., August 14th.

H. P. GRAHAM recently wrote a 100th drama entitled "Glory," which was acted with success by Richard Younger's Comedy Company. It proved to have several coincidences with a story written by John Hollingshead, who produced the piece, and is now writing it, as, after publication, did Tot by J. L. Toole; but that artist, although having had it in his possession for over a fortnight, had never acted it, and new skills a manager unfortunately is taking place, in which all parties concerned threaten to have recourse to law.

MISS KATE FITZGERALD died at Tottenham, Eng., August 7th. She was the only daughter of J. Fitzgerald, of the Strand Theatre, London, Eng.

DANIEL KENDALL, comedian, and Miss Jane Charlotte Anne Adams, vocalist, were married at Wolverhampton, Eng., Aug. 7th.

D. W. KENNEDY AND W. H. CAHILL have arranged to play in "Across the Continent" during an engagement at Sadler's Wells, Eng., commencing September 11th; Liverpool, October 2d; Newcastle-on-Tyne, 9th, and Leeds, November 20th.

W. FARRELL is engaged on the Vaudeville Theatre, London, Eng., to appear in "Applethorpe."

MRS. ROUSBY'S SISTER, who is said to be a highly promising ballad, is shortly to make her debut upon the stage.

THE KEMBLE FAMILY have leased Astley's and propose to revive the equestrian glories of that house.

LUDWIG KNOBA died recently at Berlin, Germany, of heart disease. He commenced his career in Germany in 1836, playing at the minor theatres; came to America in the fall of 1849, and for some years was connected with the Bowery Theatre, New York, of which he was for some time the stage manager. Returning to Germany, he re-appeared at the theatres of Dantzic and Konigsberg, and was last engaged as stage manager of a theatre in Berlin.

H. J. MONTAGUE has withdrawn from the partnership with Messrs. James and Thorne at the Vaudeville, and has leased the Globe Theatre for a long term, which he will open early in October.

J. A. CAVE is going to sell the Victoria Theatre to a limited company, and intends erecting a new theatre upon the Edgeware road.

MR. AND MRS. BARNEY WILLIAMS are at present at Brussels, endeavoring to obtain redress from the railway authorities for the loss of their property, valued at £1,500. About six weeks since they sent four trunks, containing their personal wardrobe and other property, by express from Brussels to Marianbad, Bohemia, being assured that they would reach their destination in five days, since which time they have never been seen, and nobody knows what has become of them. Mr. Williams has already spent £180 in going from places to places and sending messengers in search of the lost property, and it is feared that the railways being government property, he will be unable to obtain any compensation for his loss.

Musical.

AT THE THEATRE ROYAL, Covent Garden, London, Eng., a series of instrumental and vocal promenade concerts, under the direction of M. Riviere, were inaugurated on August 19th, and were announced to run to October 1st, during the space of six weeks. It was announced that each week will be distinguished for popular, miscellaneous, classical and ballad nights, whilst on one evening the first part of the programme will be devoted to sacred music of high character. The interior arrangements of this theatre will be very considerably improved. The entire pit and stalls, raised to a level with the stage, will be boarded over and handsomely carpeted, forming a capacious promenade, accessible to every visitor. And an entirely new floor will be introduced in the arrangement of rows of spacious stall chairs in front of the orchestra, each of which will be numbered and reserved, at the price of two shillings. An ornamental frame-work has been designed and painted, which will present the aspect of a highly colored floral hall, spanned by lofty arches, forming an extensive and elegant conservatory. The brilliant illumination of the interior will be insured by the addition of twenty costly chandeliers, expressly manufactured for the purpose. Prince Poniatowski has consented to compose and conduct a new triumphal march, "The Return of Richard Coeur de Lion," for full orchestra, military band and chorus; Sir Julius Benedict has consented to compose a new grand march, for full orchestra, Military band and chorus. The following vocalists have already been engaged:—Mlle. Reboux, M'me. Cora De Wilhorst, M'me. Demeric Lablache, Mlle. Rubini, M'me. Hayden Abrek, Mlle. Cornelie D'Anka, Miss Dalmaine and Mlle Liebhart. In addition, the following artists have been secured:—Mr. Arthur Lincoln, from New Orleans, has been expressly engaged, and will introduce an instrument called the Cryptophon, upon which he will perform (with his right hand) a solo and variations, accompanying the same (with his left hand) on the pianoforte; solo violinists, M'lle Jenny Claus, M'lle Therese Liebe, M'lle Vittoria De Bono, Mr. Viotti Collins; solo cornet, Mr. H. Reynolds; solo pianists, Mlle Carreno, M'me Julia Wolff, Miss Flora Bellbron, aged 13, and le Chevalier Antoine De Kontski, pianist to his majesty the Emperor of Germany; accompanist, Signor Ferraris; organist, Herr Salzmann; a full chorus of fifty voices, under the direction of Signor Lago, and a full military band of fifty musicians, selected from the Grenadier Guards and the Royal Artillery. Mr. Arthur Sullivan has been expressly engaged to conduct the classical and sacred music. The orchestra of one hundred performers will be composed as follows:—20 first violins, 16 second violins, 12 violas, 10 violoncellos, 11 contra basses, 1 harp, 2 flutes, 1 piccolo, 2 oboes, 2 clarionets, 1 saxophone, 2 bassoons, 1 contra bassoon, 2 cornets, 2 trumpets, 4 Plymouth, 4 French horns, 3 tenor trombones, 1 bass trombone, 1 euphonium, 1 bombardon, 1 kettle drum, 1 side drum, 1 triangle, 1 bass drum. M. Riviere will be the conductor. The prices of admission were to be Stalls, five shillings; the remainder, twenty-five cents to eight dollars.

OTTO GOLDSCHMIDT AND MME. LIND-GOLDSCHMIDT had left London, Eng., for a tour of the continent.

A YOUNG RUSSIAN TENOR, said to possess a "magnificent" voice, has just been discovered at Kowno. His name is David Meierowitsch, and he has been received into the Conservatoire at St. Petersburg through the influence, it is said, of Mlle. Pauline Lucca.

MLLE. LEVIELLI, of the French Opera, who was announced to sing at a concert at Rouen, fell on the stairs of her hotel and broke her arm. The dauntless lady, however, insisted on not disappointing the audience, and appealing with her arm in a sling, sang an air from the "Africaine."

WACHTEL, the famous tenor, it is said, leaves Europe shortly for the United States.

MLLE A. VALERIUS, who recently made a successful *debut* in London, has signed an engagement as *prima donna* for the next season of Italian opera, at St. Petersburgh.

"GUY MANNERING" was performed at the Crystal Palace, London, Eng., at the Scott centenary, with Sims Reeves as Henry Bertram.

M. HERVE PARIS, and has signed an engagement to prepare a new *opera bouffe* for his old home, "Les Folies Parisiennes."

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HENRY HEIGH'S OPERA COMPANY was performing at Stockport, Eng., at last advices.

ISIDORE DE SOLLA'S OPERATIC COMPANY commenced a brief season at Plymouth, Eng., on August 7th.

MR. A. ST. ALBYN, a popular vocalist, at our latest advices was lying past recovery from consumption at the Charing Cross Hospital. He was a member of the Pyne and Harrison Opera Company. His last engagement was at the Globe Theatre, London, Eng., where he assumed the *role* of Falcappa, the Brigand Chief.

DE ROSA, the tenor, died at the age of 90 years at Naples, Italy, recently. He was the original Almaviva in Rossini's "Il Barbier."

Variety Halls.

AT THE VARIOUS MUSIC HALLS in London, Eng., no change of importance had occurred, the chief artists being the same as reported in our last issue. The business is said to be good, notwithstanding the high temperature which had prevailed for some time past.

AT THE BIRMINGHAM CONCERT HALL, Birmingham, Eng., a portion of the Lauri Family, Messrs. E. and H. and Miss Lauri, who were performing *ballet* pantomimes; R. Saunders, comic, and Mme. Leonard Charles, double-voiced vocalist, were the chief features.

AT THE MUSEUM, Bolton, Eng., the return of Joe M'Dowell, comic; Harry Watson and Emma Sidney, Irish and negro delineators, and Marie Stuart, serio comic, were the arrivals.

AT PULLAN'S MUSIC HALL, Bradford, Eng., Frank Finch, comic and dancer, and the Court Minstrels were the new arrivals.

LEYBOURNE, comic; the Lawson Family, clog dancers; Kate Macnamara, serio comic, and Emily Carr, were the chief attractions at the Oxford, Brigaton, Eng.

AT HARLEY, Eng., at the George and Dragon, Mons. Maldaven, contortionist; the Theater family, duettists and dancers; Fred Wilson, contralto; Tom Taylor, comic, and Harry Warrilow, pianist, were the chief features..... At the Circus Music Hall, Mons. Valentine, on the electric wire; Albert de Voy, comic; Mr. and Mrs. Sam Willis, duettists; W. Lorenzo, black clown and juggler; Maggie Walters, serio-comic and dancer; Tom Winter, comic, and the Brothers Jackson, Willson and Harry de Voy, duettists and sensation dancers were the main attractions. At the Alhambra the principal performers were the Alberts and Edmunds families, six in number; Clara Noble, character vocalist and dancer; Kitty Bedford, serio-comic; the Sisters Adele, negro artists; G. Dale, violin, and F. Simpson, pianist..... At Ashford's the chief features were Bessie Alvarez, contralto; Henri Lavigne, tenor; Mr. and Mrs. Marriott and young Harris, negro delineators; Clara Addison, serio-comic, and Harry Windey, comic.

AT LIVERPOOL, Eng., the changes since our last report may be found in the following summary:—At the New Star, the Collier *ballet* troupe; Liskard, comic; Nathalie, Lecnitine and Blanche, gymnasts and acrobats, were the new arrivals..... At the Rotunda there had been no change..... At the Crystal Palace, the Misses Lyons, serio-comic; Templeton, serio-comic; Williams and Luce, ballad; Messrs. Spencer, baritone; Howard, Harry Wilde and Bentley, versatile, were the principal performers..... At the Parthenon, the new arrivals were Tom Carey, Irish comic; Minnie Archer, serio-comic; and the reappearance of Mlle. Leon and Leon Franz, gymnasts..... At the Adelphi, the additions to the company were Messrs. Clifton and Banks, negro comics; the Brothers Palmer, gymnasts; Julia Sutherland, serio-comic; Joe Bashall and Lydia Fraser, duettists; A. F. Herbert, baritone; Miss Amelia Tedder, serio-comic; Barney O'Neil, Irish comic, and a *ballet* by the Lupino Troupe..... At the Oxford, Mr. Etchells, comic, and Miss Phillips, sentimental, were added to the company. At the Cambridge and Casino, the new engagements were Newsam and Francis, duettists; Miss Caroline, clog dancer; and J. Lindsay, comic..... At the Alhambra, the fresh appearances were Mr. and Mrs. Harrison and their performing dogs; the Sisters Grahame, duettists, and Brothers French, gymnasts.

WALLACE AND WOOD, the American musical comiques, were performing at the Alhambra, Manchester, Eng., at our latest advices.

JAMES SELLER, Jr., son of James Seller, leader at the Middlesex Music Hall, London, Eng., was drowned on August 3d, at Tonby, Eng., while bathing. He was 18 years of age, and a contra basso player in the promenade band engaged there for the summer.

MISS ANNIE FLINT, soprano vocalist, and Mr. Georga Duce were married at Sunderland, August 9th.

MISS ANNIE ADAMS sailed on August 18th for America, she being under engagement at the Union Square Theatre, New York.

Negro Minstrelsy.

OLIVER'S COMPANY OF CHRISTY MINSTRELS performed at Mansfield, Eng., August 7th.

SCOTT-SIDDONS' SLAVE TROUPE continues to do a good business at Liverpool, Eng. Among the novelties was an act called the "Colored Court," with Henry Leslie in a principal character.

Circuses.

MANDERS' MENAGERIE was exhibited at Aberdeen, Scotland, August 12th, 14th and 15th..... Marley's Circus exhibited at Ayr, Scotland, August 14th..... Hengler's Circus, closed its Scott, contortionist; Kelso, on the high bar; Mme Davis, on the tight rope; the Misses Maley and Godfrey, in an Olympic scene; Messrs. Davis and Rose, clowns; Mr. Godfrey, ring-master; and Mr. Creggon, leader of orchestra..... Cooke's American Circus performed at Belfast, Ireland, Aug. 7th..... At Macolum's Circus, Bristol, England, "Cinderella" was produced on Aug. 7th..... The People's Circus, under the management of S. Swallow, commenced a short season at Dundee, Scotland, Aug. 8th..... "Cinderella" continued to be the attraction at Hengler's Circus, Dublin, Ireland..... At Newsome's Circus, Edinburgh, Scotland, a pageant entitled "Caledonia" was produced on August 11th..... Bell & Hutchinson's Circus was at Margate, Eng., during the week ending Aug. 5th, as was also Footit's Circus..... Valbolt's Circus had been located at Peckham, Eng., during the week ending Aug. 12th. Lloyd's Circus was at Dover, Eng., during the week ending Aug. 5th, as was also Mr. John Jones' Circus. Mlle. Jane Larena and *le petite* Tomalin, in a double act; the Brothers Raymond on the lof

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